

Supporting Information for

Ruthenium Olefin Metathesis Catalysts Bearing a *N*-fluorophenyl-*N*-mesityl-Substituted Unsymmetrical *N*-Heterocyclic Carbene

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## Experimental Procedures

### Materials and Methods:

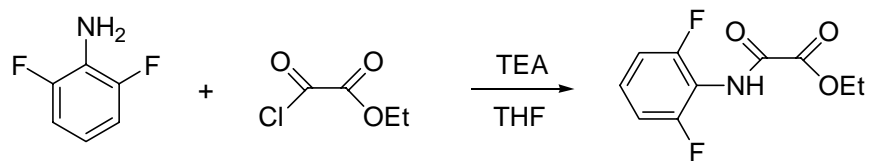
All reactions involving metal complexes were conducted in oven-dried glassware under a nitrogen atmosphere with anhydrous solvents, using standard Schlenk and glovebox techniques. Anhydrous solvents were obtained via elution through a solvent column drying system.<sup>1</sup> Unless otherwise indicated, all compounds were purchased from Aldrich or Fisher. Catalyst **1** (Grubbs 1<sup>st</sup> generation) was obtained from Materia, Inc. Silica gel used for the purification of organometallic complexes was obtained from TSI Scientific, Cambridge, MA (60 Å, pH 6.5–7.0). NMR-Chemical shifts are reported in ppm downfield from Me<sub>4</sub>Si, by using the residual solvent peak as internal standard for <sup>1</sup>H and <sup>13</sup>C, and H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> (δ 0.0) for <sup>31</sup>P. Data for NMR spectra are reported as follows: chemical shift (δ ppm), multiplicity, coupling constant (Hz) and integration. Gas chromatography data was obtained using an Agilent 6850 FID gas chromatograph equipped with a DB-Wax Polyethylene Glycol capillary column (J&W Scientific). X-ray crystallographic structures were obtained by Mr. Larry M. Henling and Dr. Michael W. Day of the California Institute of Technology Beckman Institute X-ray Crystallography Laboratory. Crystallographic data have been deposited at the CCDC, 12 Union Road, Cambridge CB2 1EZ, U.K., and copies can be obtained on request, free of charge, by quoting the publication citation and the deposition numbers 621770 (**5**) and 612854 (**6**). The screening of the catalysts, in ring-closing metathesis (RCM), cross metathesis (CM), and ring-opening metathesis polymerization reactions (ROMP), was conducted according to literature procedures.<sup>2</sup> The initiation kinetics studies were conducted according to literature procedures.<sup>3</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Pangborn, A. B.; Giardello, M. A.; Grubbs, R. H.; Rosen, R. K.; Timmers, F. J. *Organometallics* **1996**, *15*, 1518-1520.

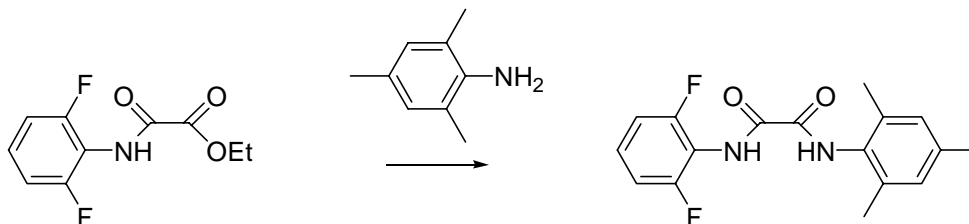
<sup>2</sup> Ritter, T.; Hejl, A.; Wenzel, A. G.; Funk, T. W.; Grubbs, R. H. *Organometallics* **2006**, *25*, 5740-5745.

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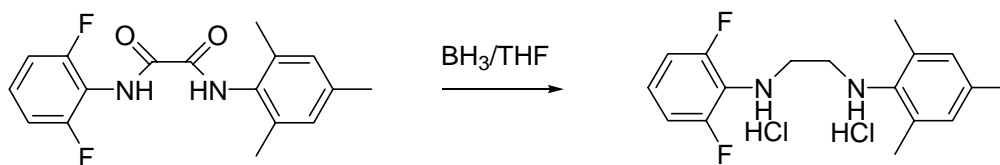
***N*-(2,6-difluorophenyl)-oxanilic acid ethyl ester (7).**

2,6-Difluoroaniline (10.11 mL, 100 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) and dry triethylamine (27.88 mL, 200 mmol, 2.0 equiv.) were dissolved in dry THF (200 mL) under nitrogen. This solution was cooled to 0 °C, and ethyl chlorooxoacetate (13.35 mL, 120 mmol, 1.2 equiv.) was added dropwise. Precipitation of a white solid (triethylammonium chloride) occurred immediately upon addition. The suspension was allowed to stir for 16 h, warming to room temperature. The solid was filtered off and washed with diethyl ether (200 mL), and the combined organic layer was washed with an aqueous saturated NH<sub>4</sub>Cl solution until pH 6. This organic layer was then washed with brine (150 mL) and dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub>. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure leaving a yellow solid that was washed with hexanes (3 × 6 mL) to afford a yellowish crystalline solid (19.94 g, 87 mmol, 87% yield). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 300 MHz): δ = 8.46 (broad s, 1H), 7.30–7.26 (m, 1H), 7.03–6.99 (m, 2H), 4.45 (q, *J* = 7 Hz, 2H), 1.45 (t, *J* = 7 Hz, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C{<sup>1</sup>H} NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 125 MHz): δ = 159.76 (s), 157.42 (dd, <sup>1</sup>*J*<sub>CF</sub> = 253 Hz, <sup>3</sup>*J*<sub>CF</sub> = 5 Hz), 154.44 (s), 128.44 (t, <sup>3</sup>*J*<sub>CF</sub> = 10 Hz), 112.21 (t, <sup>2</sup>*J*<sub>CF</sub> = 17 Hz), 111.73 (dd, <sup>2</sup>*J*<sub>CF</sub> = 19 Hz, <sup>4</sup>*J*<sub>CF</sub> = 4 Hz), 63.57 (s), 13.72 (s); <sup>19</sup>F{<sup>1</sup>H} NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 169 MHz): δ = -117.22 (s); HRMS (FAB<sup>+</sup>) calculated for C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>10</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>F<sub>2</sub> [M]<sup>+</sup> 230.0629, observed 230.0621.



***N*-(2,6-difluorophenyl)-*N'*-(mesityl)-oxalamide (8).**

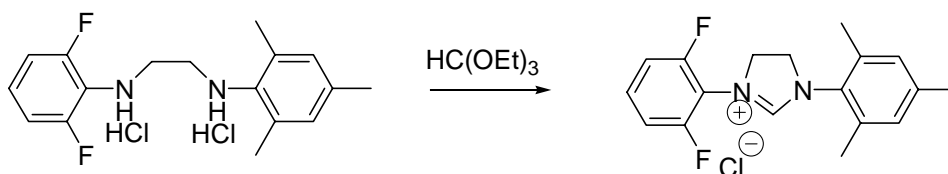
*N*-(2,6-difluoro)-oxanilic acid ethyl ester (**7**) (8.887 g, 40 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) was dissolved in 2,4,6-trimethylaniline (10.1 mL, 72 mmol, 1.8 equiv.) in a dry Schlenk tube under nitrogen. The tube was sealed and the suspension was stirred at 180 °C for 16 h. Upon being cooled to room temperature, the reaction mixture solidified. The brownish solid was washed with hexanes (3 × 20 mL) and diethyl ether (3 × 5 mL), leaving an off-white solid (6.621 g, 21 mmol, 52% yield).  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 300 MHz):  $\delta$  = 8.91 (broad s, 1H), 8.70 (broad s, 1H), 7.32–7.28 (m, 1H), 7.05–7.01 (m, 2H), 6.94 (s, 2H), 2.30 (s, 3H), 2.24 (s, 6H);  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 125 MHz):  $\delta$  = 165.42 (s), 159.86 (s), 157.72 (dd,  $^1J_{\text{CF}}$  = 253 Hz,  $^3J_{\text{CF}}$  = 5 Hz), 157.52 (s), 137.95 (s), 134.95 (s), 129.31 (s), 128.66 (t,  $^3J_{\text{CF}}$  = 10 Hz), 112.74 (t,  $^2J_{\text{CF}}$  = 17 Hz), 112.19 (dd,  $^2J_{\text{CF}}$  = 19 Hz,  $^4J_{\text{CF}}$  = 4 Hz), 21.19 (s), 18.59 (s);  $^{19}\text{F}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 169 MHz):  $\delta$  = -117.07 (s); HRMS ( $\text{FAB}^+$ ) calculated for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{17}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{F}_2$   $[\text{M}]^+$  319.1258, observed 319.1269.



***N*-(2,6-difluorophenyl)-*N'*-(mesityl)-1,2-ethanediamine dihydrochloride (9).**

In a dry, high pressure tube containing *N*-(2,6-difluoro)-*N'*-(mesityl)-oxalamide (**8**) (6.366 g, 20 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) was added  $\text{BH}_3 \cdot \text{THF}$  (1 M in THF) (100 mL, 100 mmol, 5 equiv.) under

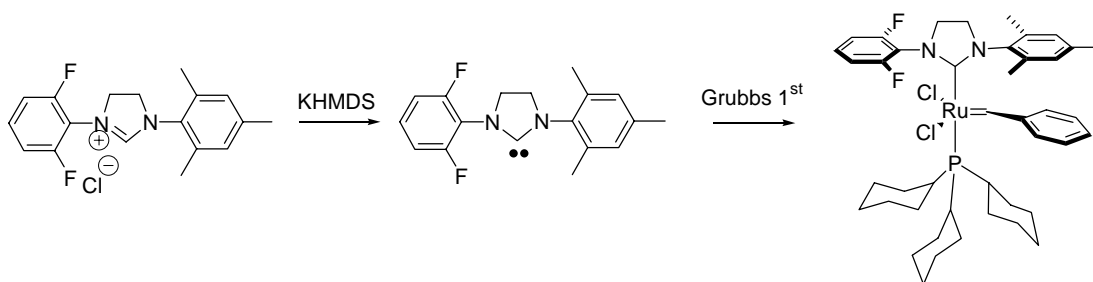
nitrogen. The tube was sealed and the solution was stirred at 75 °C for 16 h. Upon being cooled to room temperature, the clear yellowish solution was slowly added to methanol (200 mL) at 0 °C. Concentrated HCl solution (4.92 mL) was also slowly added at 0 °C. When all bubbling ceased, the solvent was removed under reduced pressure. The resulting solid was dissolved in methanol and the solvent was again removed under reduced pressure. This was repeated twice more to remove the remaining boron as B(OMe)<sub>3</sub>. The remaining white solid was finally washed with diethyl ether (2 × 10 mL) to provide the desired product as a white solid (4.181 g , 14.4 mmol, 72% yield). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>, 300 MHz): δ = 7.00–6.90 (m, 4H), 6.74–6.64 (m, 1H), 3.73–3.68 (m, 2H), 3.41–3.37 (m, 2H), 2.43 (s, 6H), 2.22 (s, 3H); <sup>13</sup>C{<sup>1</sup>H} NMR (DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>, 125 MHz): δ = 152.26 (dd, <sup>1</sup>J<sub>CF</sub> = 240 Hz, <sup>3</sup>J<sub>CF</sub> = 8 Hz), 138.26 (s), 131.82 (s), 130.31 (s), 124.80 (t, <sup>3</sup>J<sub>CF</sub> = 13 Hz), 116.97 (t, <sup>2</sup>J<sub>CF</sub> = 10 Hz), 111.77 (dd, <sup>2</sup>J<sub>CF</sub> = 17 Hz, <sup>4</sup>J<sub>CF</sub> = 6 Hz), 50.51 (s), 41.35 (s), 20.14 (s), 17.63 (s); <sup>19</sup>F{<sup>1</sup>H} NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 169 MHz): δ = -128.72 (s); HRMS (FAB<sup>+</sup>) calculated for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>21</sub>N<sub>2</sub>F<sub>2</sub> [M]<sup>+</sup> 291.1673, observed 291.1672.



**1-(2,6-difluorophenyl)-3-(mesityl)-4,5-dihydro-imidazolium chloride (10).**

A suspension of *N*-(2,6-difluorophenyl)-*N'*-(mesityl)-1,2-ethanediamine dihydrochloride (**9**) (2.180 g, 6 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) in triethylorthoformate (19.95 mL, 120 mmol, 20 equiv.) was heated at 135 °C for 30 min under nitrogen. After cooling to room temperature, the solids were filtered off and washed with diethyl ether (3 × 15 mL) to provide the desired product as a white solid (1.878 g , 5.6 mmol, 93% yield). <sup>1</sup>H NMR (DMSO-*d*<sub>6</sub>, 300 MHz): δ = 9.42 (s, 1H), 7.67–

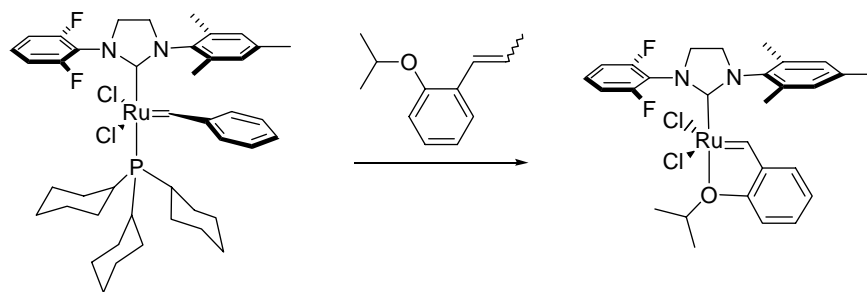
7.57 (m, 1H), 7.47–7.41 (m, 2H), 7.10 (s, 2H), 4.67–4.60 (m, 2H), 4.49–4.42 (m, 2H), 2.33 (s, 6H), 2.29 (s, 3H);  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR ( $\text{DMSO}-d_6$ , 125 MHz):  $\delta$  = 160.89 (s), 156.48 (dd,  $^1J_{\text{CF}}$  = 252 Hz,  $^3J_{\text{CF}}$  = 3 Hz), 139.73 (s), 134.99 (s), 130.96 (t,  $^3J_{\text{CF}}$  = 10 Hz), 130.54 (s), 129.37 (s), 113.53 (t,  $^2J_{\text{CF}}$  = 15 Hz), 112.88 (dd,  $^2J_{\text{CF}}$  = 19 Hz,  $^4J_{\text{CF}}$  = 4 Hz), 51.40 (s), 51.31 (s), 20.45 (s), 17.01 (s);  $^{19}\text{F}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 169 MHz):  $\delta$  = -119.84 (s); HRMS ( $\text{FAB}^+$ ) calculated for  $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{25}\text{F}_2\text{N}_2$   $[\text{M}]^+$  343.1986, observed 343.1987.



**[RuCl<sub>2</sub> (1-(2,6-difluorophenyl)-3-mesityl-dihydroimidazol-ylidene) (=CH-Ph) (PCy<sub>3</sub>)] (5).**

1-(2,6-difluorophenyl)-3-(mesityl)-4,5-dihydro-imidazolium chloride (**10**) (337 mg, 1 mmol, 2.0 equiv.) was stirred with an equimolar quantity of KHMDS in benzene (10 mL, 0.1 M) in a glove box at room temperature for 45 min. Catalyst **1** (411 mg, 0.5 mmol, 1.0 equiv.) was added as a solid in one portion, the reaction flask was taken out of the glove box and heated under a nitrogen atmosphere at 80 °C for 30 min. The solution was concentrated to 2 mL in vacuo and poured onto a column packed with TSI Scientific silica gel. The complex was eluted with hexanes/diethyl ether (2/1) as a red band. This was concentrated in vacuo, transferred in a glove box, dissolved in the minimum amount of benzene and lyophilized to afford the desired complex as a violet-dark red solid (350 mg, 0.41 mmol, 83% yield). The solid is stable in air in the solid state and soluble in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{CHCl}_3$ , benzene, toluene and THF. Crystals suitable for X-ray

crystallography were grown at room temperature by slow diffusion of hexanes into a solution of **5** in benzene.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , 500 MHz):  $\delta$  = 19.42 (s, 1H–minor), 19.14 (s, 1H–major), 7.47–7.37 (m, 2H–major, 2H–minor), 7.14–7.09 (m, 4H–major), 7.01 (s, 2H–minor), 6.75–6.72 (m, 1H–minor), 4.12–3.89 (m, 4H–major, 4H–minor), 2.63–0.90 (m, 42H–major, 42H–minor);  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR ( $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , 125 MHz, due to extensive fluorine coupling and the existence of two rotational isomers, some coupling constants are not given):  $\delta$  = 297.52–297.32 (m, major), 294.67–294.47 (m, minor), 223.88 (s), 223.40 (s), 223.27 (s), 222.77 (s), 161.36 (dd,  $^1J_{\text{CF}}$  = 256 Hz,  $^3J_{\text{CF}}$  = 4 Hz, major), 159.84 (dd,  $^1J_{\text{CF}}$  = 252 Hz,  $^3J_{\text{CF}}$  = 3 Hz, minor), 152.06 (s), 151.25 (s), 138.77 (s), 138.14 (s), 136.89 (s), 136.72 (s), 135.24 (s), 131.28 (t,  $^3J_{\text{CF}}$  = 10 Hz, major), 130.20 (s), 129.98 (s), 129.68 (t,  $^3J_{\text{CF}}$  = 10 Hz, minor), 129.16 (s), 128.67 (s), 128.42 (s), 127.93 (s), 112.69 (dd,  $^2J_{\text{CF}}$  = 20 Hz,  $^4J_{\text{CF}}$  = 3 Hz, major), 111.82 (dd, minor), 53.17 (s), 53.14 (s), 53.03 (s), 53.00 (s), 52.15 (s), 52.13 (s), 35.71 (s), 35.23 (s), 32.02 (s), 31.90 (s), 31.76 (s), 28.01 (s), 27.96 (s), 27.93 (s), 27.88 (s), 27.21 (s), 27.11 (s), 26.57 (s), 26.55 (s), 26.45 (s), 26.44 (s), 26.41 (s), 26.36 (s), 21.07 (s), 20.87 (s), 19.71 (s), 18.33 (s);  $^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR ( $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , 202 MHz)  $\delta$  = 31.54 (s, minor), 27.54 (s, major);  $^{19}\text{F}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR ( $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , 282 MHz):  $\delta$  = -103.20 (s, major), -125.15 (s, minor); HRMS ( $\text{FAB}^+$ ) calculated for  $\text{C}_{43}\text{H}_{57}\text{N}_2\text{F}_2\text{Cl}_2\text{PRu}$   $[\text{M}]^+$  842.2649, observed 842.2681; Anal. calculated for  $\text{C}_{43}\text{H}_{57}\text{N}_2\text{F}_2\text{Cl}_2\text{PRu}$ : 61.27 C, 6.82 H, 3.32 N. Found: 61.51 C, 7.08 H, 3.31 N.



**[RuCl<sub>2</sub> (1-(2,6-difluorophenyl)-3-mesityl-dihydroimidazol-ylidene) (=CH-*o*-iPrO-Ph)] (6).**

In a glovebox, a vial was charged with complex **5** (169 mg, 0.2 mmol, 1.0 equiv.), toluene (8 mL, 0.025 M) and *o*-isopropoxy- $\beta$ -methylstyrene (175 mg, 4 mmol, 20.0 equiv.). The dark red solution was stirred for 10 min and then left inside the capped vial without stirring. After 40 h at room temperature, the desired complex had precipitated as dark green crystals. The supernatant brown liquid was decanted off; the crystals were washed with hexanes (2  $\times$  10 mL) and dried in vacuo to afford (92 mg, 0.15 mmol, 74% yield). The solid is stable in air in the solid state and soluble in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, CHCl<sub>3</sub> and benzene. The crystals obtained from the above procedure (preparation of the complex) were suitable for X-ray crystallography. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 500 MHz):  $\delta$  = 16.14 (s, 1H), 7.57–7.45 (m, 2H), 7.15–7.09 (m, 4H), 6.95–6.86 (m, 3H), 4.96 (septet, 1H,  $J_{\text{HH}}$  = 6 Hz), 4.30–4.15 (m, 4H), 2.46 (s, 3H), 2.31 (s, 6H), 1.30 (d,  $J_{\text{HH}}$  = 6 Hz, 6H); <sup>13</sup>C{<sup>1</sup>H} NMR (CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 125 MHz):  $\delta$  = 292.59 (d,  $J$  = 29 Hz), 215.29 (s), 162.02 (dd,  $^1J_{\text{CF}}$  = 255 Hz,  $^3J_{\text{CF}}$  = 4 Hz), 152.73 (s), 144.94 (s), 139.69 (s), 138.33 (s), 137.94 (s), 131.51 (t,  $^3J_{\text{CF}}$  = 10 Hz), 130.14 (s), 130.12 (s), 129.49 (s), 128.68 (s), 122.90 (s), 122.79 (s), 118.11 (t,  $^1J_{\text{CF}}$  = 15 Hz), 113.41 (s), 112.79 (dd,  $^2J_{\text{CF}}$  = 20 Hz,  $^4J_{\text{CF}}$  = 5 Hz), 75.77 (s), 53.42 (s), 52.23 (s), 21.60 (s), 21.48 (s), 18.33 (s); <sup>19</sup>F{<sup>1</sup>H} NMR (CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 282 MHz):  $\delta$  = -108.28 (s); HRMS (FAB<sup>+</sup>) calculated for C<sub>28</sub>H<sub>30</sub>N<sub>2</sub>OF<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>Ru [M]<sup>+</sup> 620.0747, observed 620.0767; Anal. calculated for C<sub>28</sub>H<sub>30</sub>N<sub>2</sub>OF<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>Ru: 54.20 C, 4.87 H, 4.51 N. Found: 54.13 C, 4.71 H, 3.92 N.



## Line Shape and Eyring Analysis

For the variable-temperature NMR experiments the probe was calibrated at each temperature with a glycol standard for each measurement. NMR spectral simulations were performed using gNMR version 3.6. The chemical shifts observed in the slow limit exchange (298 K) were used to set up the spin systems. Lorentzian lineshapes with linewidths of 2 Hz were utilized. Small changes to the linewidth did not affect the activation parameters of the exchange process. As the chemical shifts of the different hydrogens vary slightly with temperature, the difference in the chemical shifts was used to compare simulated with experimental spectra. For different temperatures, the exchange rate was varied to get the best fit between the simulated and the experimental spectra. An Eyring plot for data collected over the range 323–378 K was used to extract the entropy and enthalpy of activation from the temperature dependence of the rate constant (Figure S1). The experimental as well as the simulated NMR spectra are presented in Figure S2.

$\Delta H^\ddagger$ (kcal/mol)	$\Delta S^\ddagger$ (cal/(mol·K))	$\Delta G^\ddagger$ (298K) (kcal/mol)
<b>19.6±0.7</b>	<b>6±2</b>	<b>17.9±0.1</b>

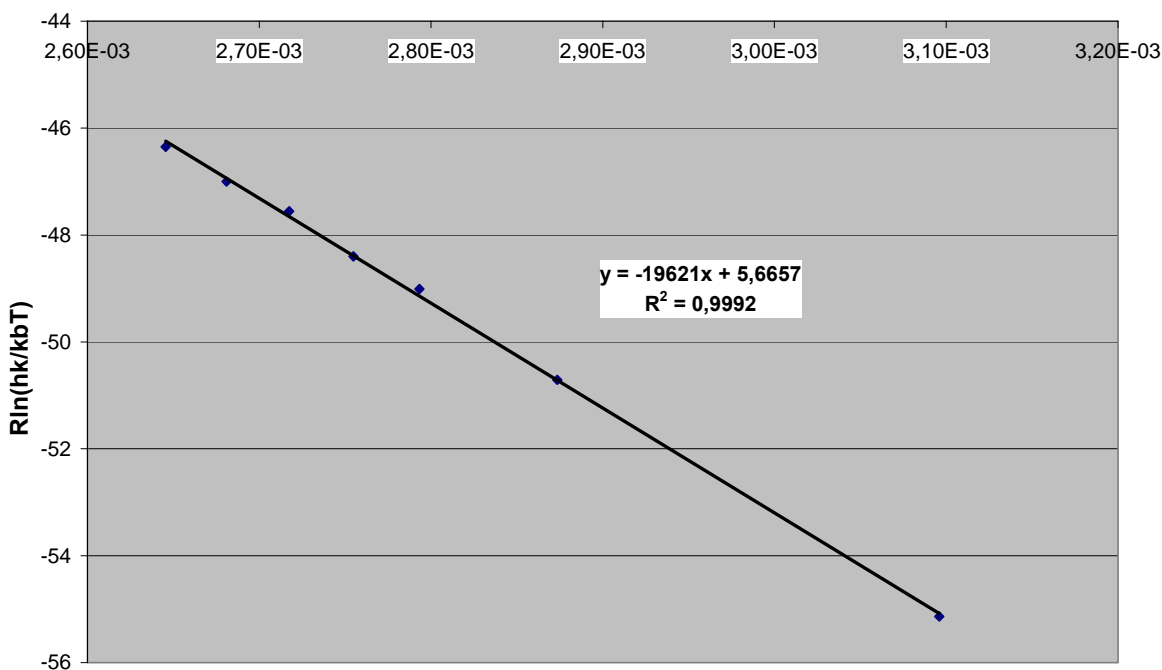
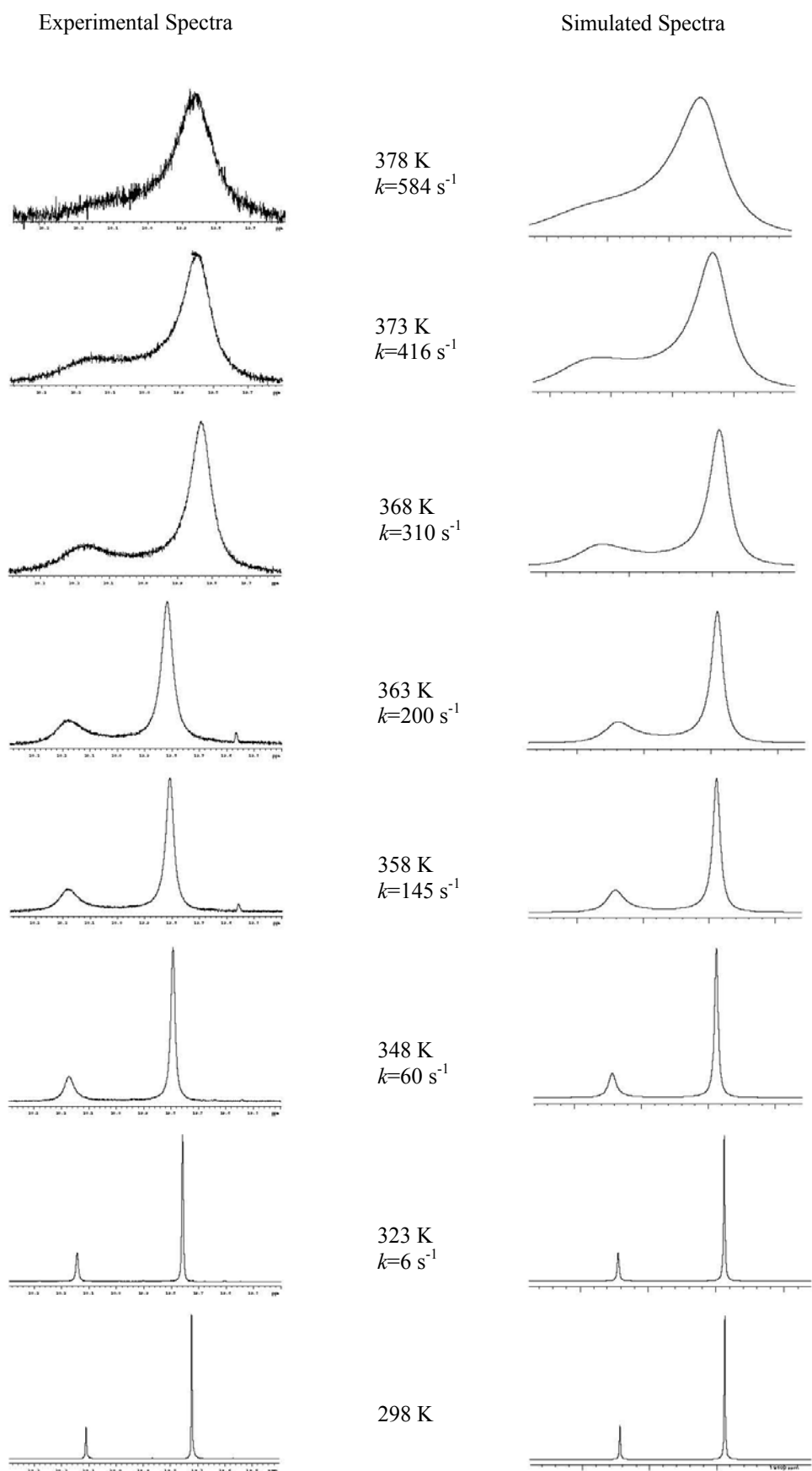
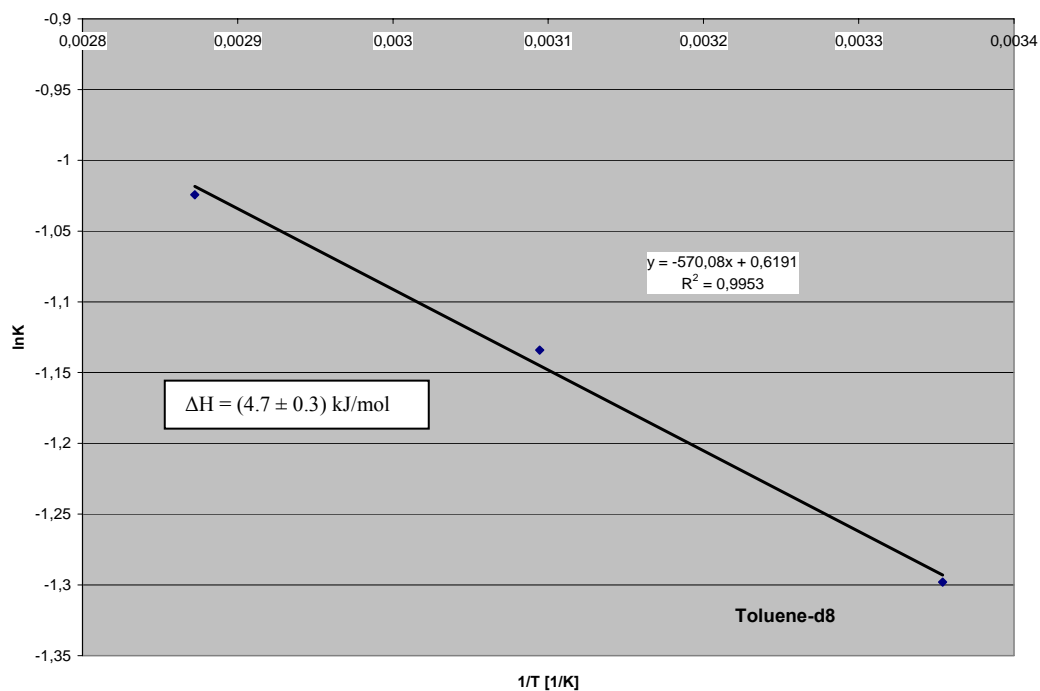
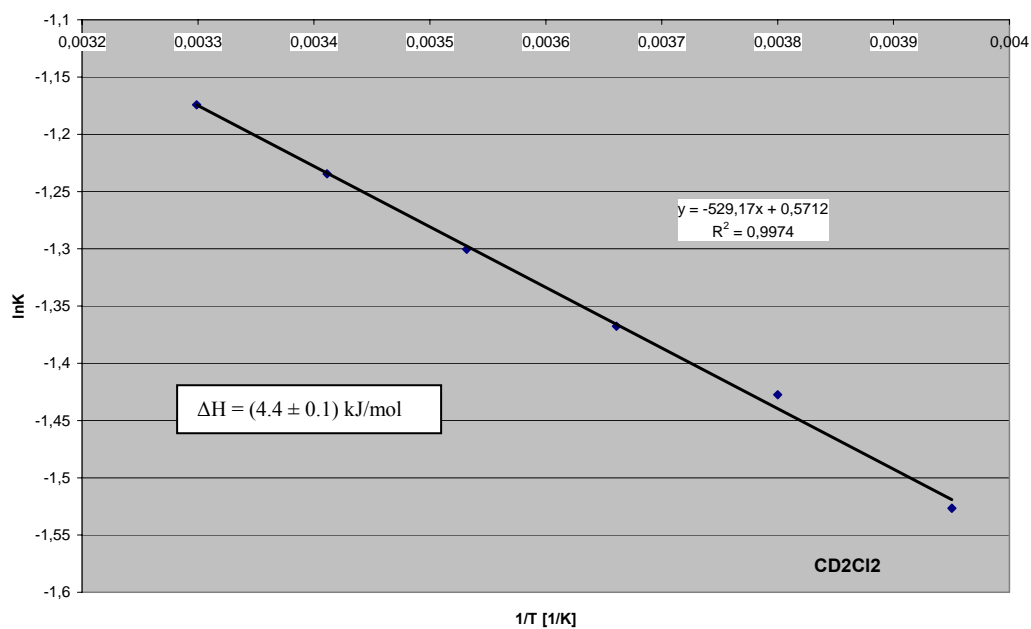


Figure S1.



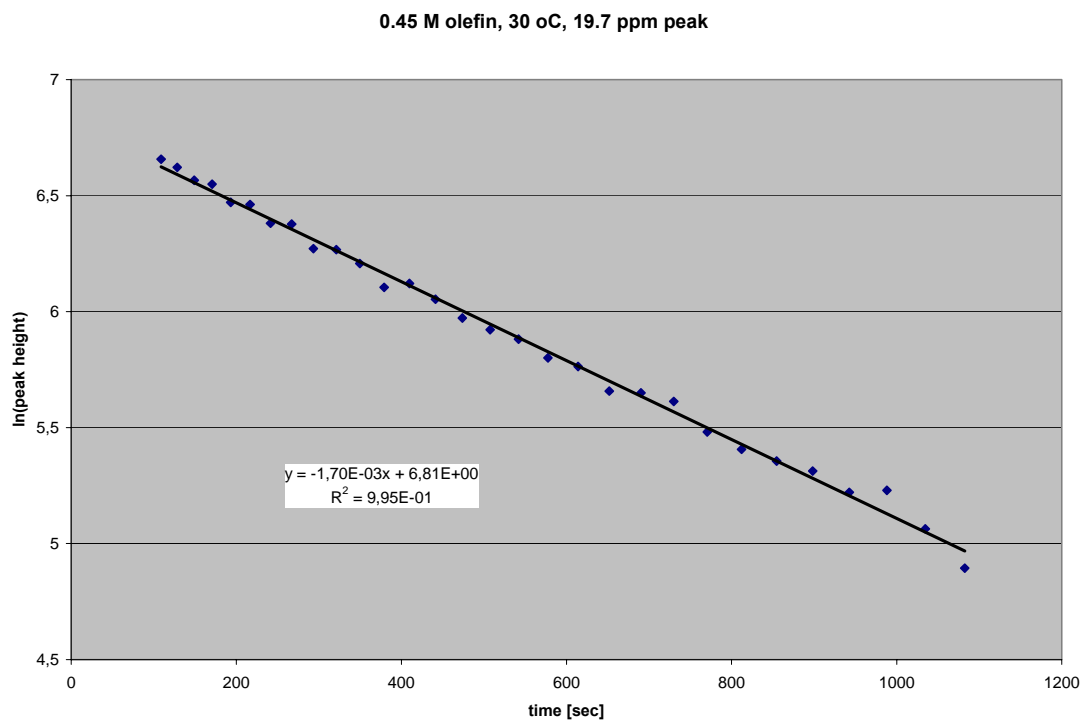
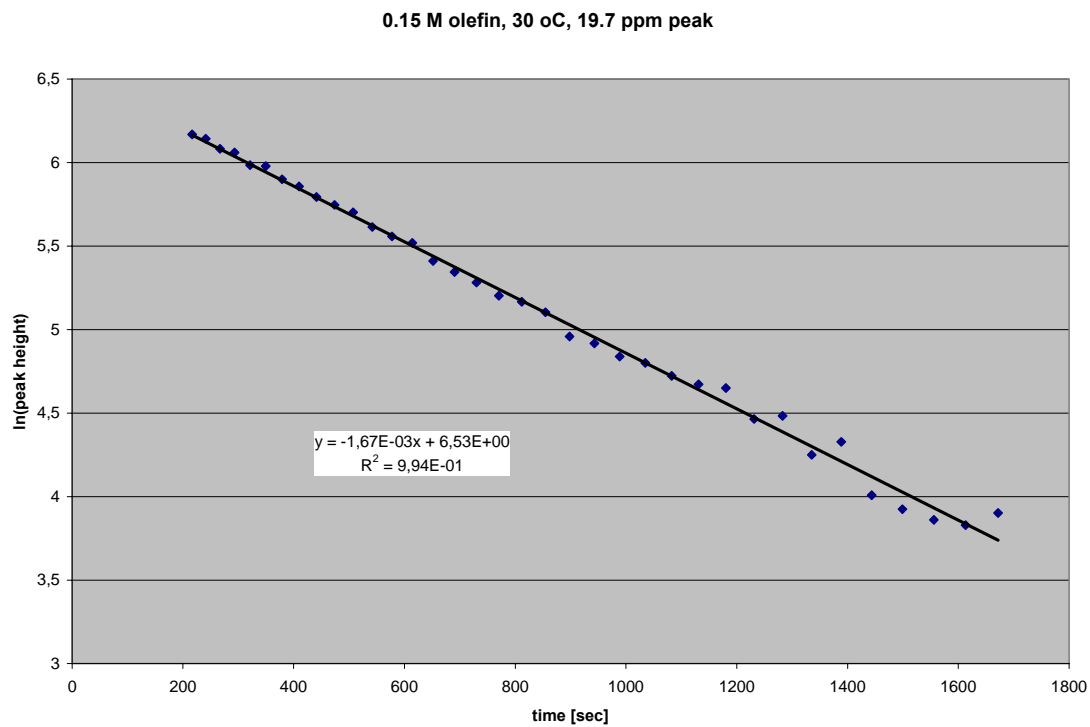
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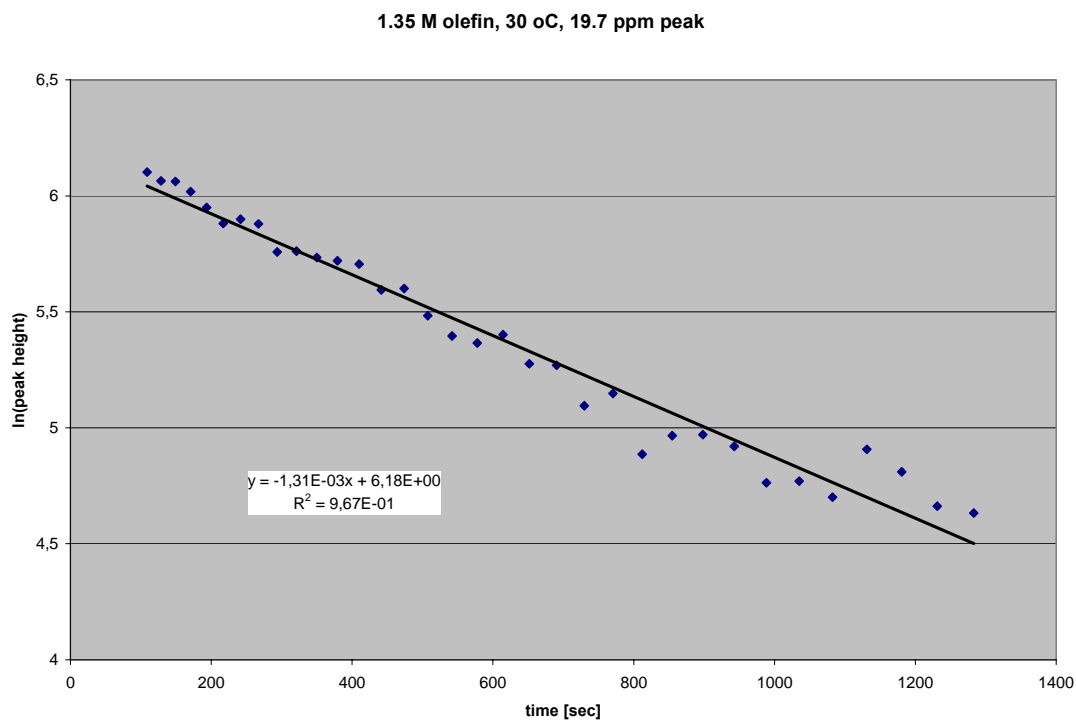
## Temperature Dependence of the Equilibrium Constant for the two Rotamers of Catalyst 5.



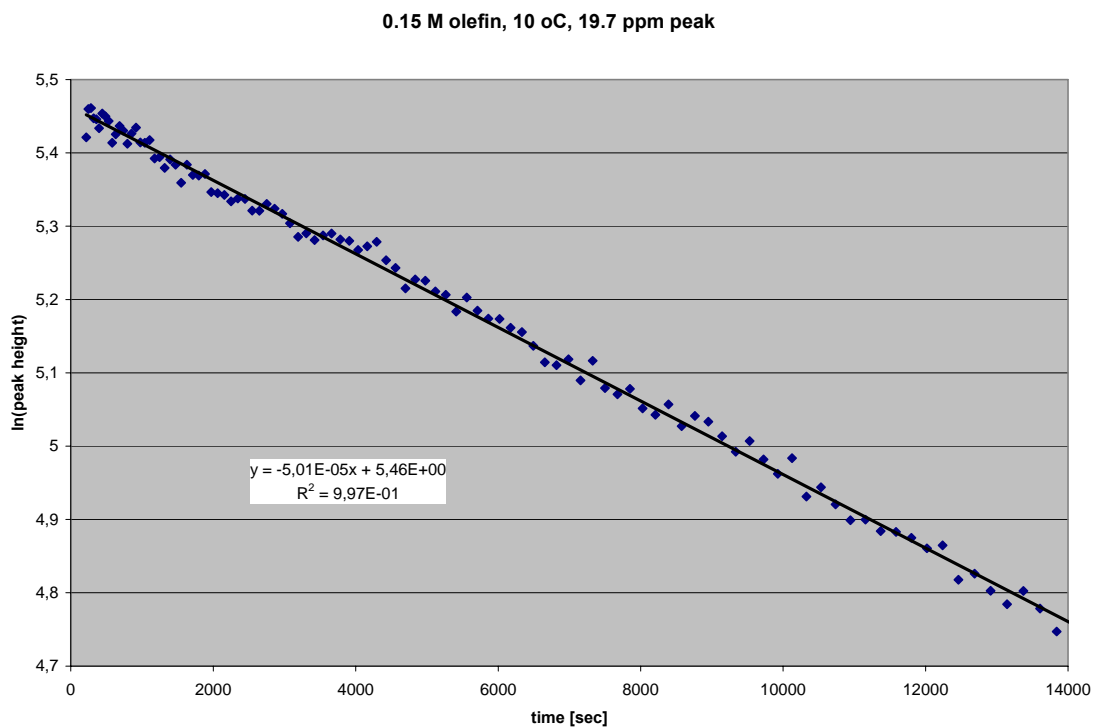
## Initiation Kinetics Experiments

### a) Initiation rate constant dependence on olefin concentration

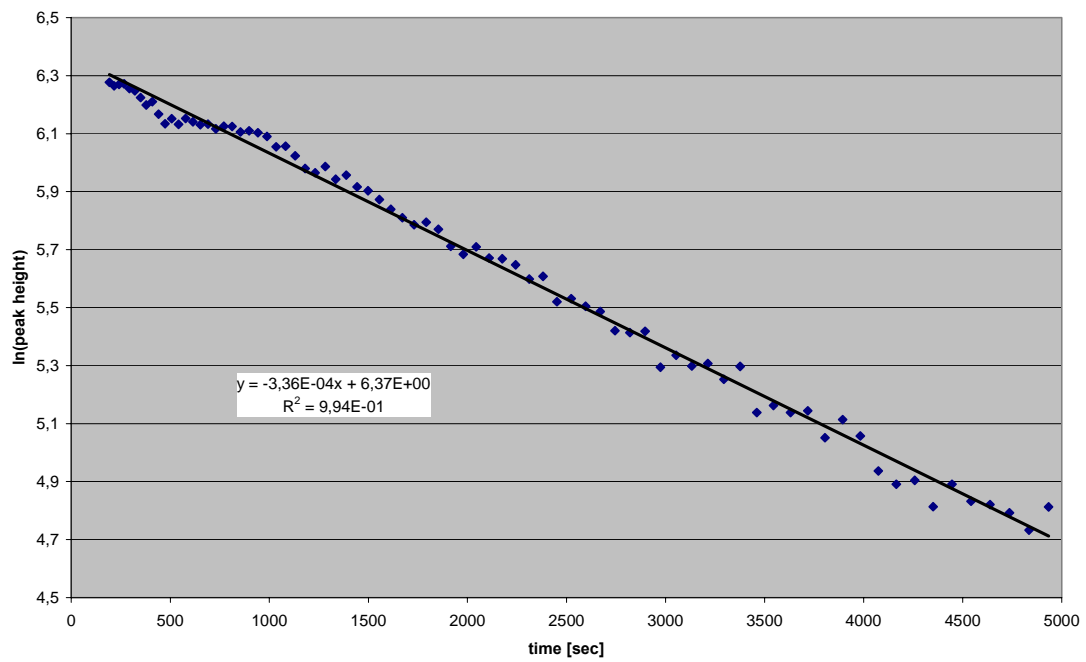




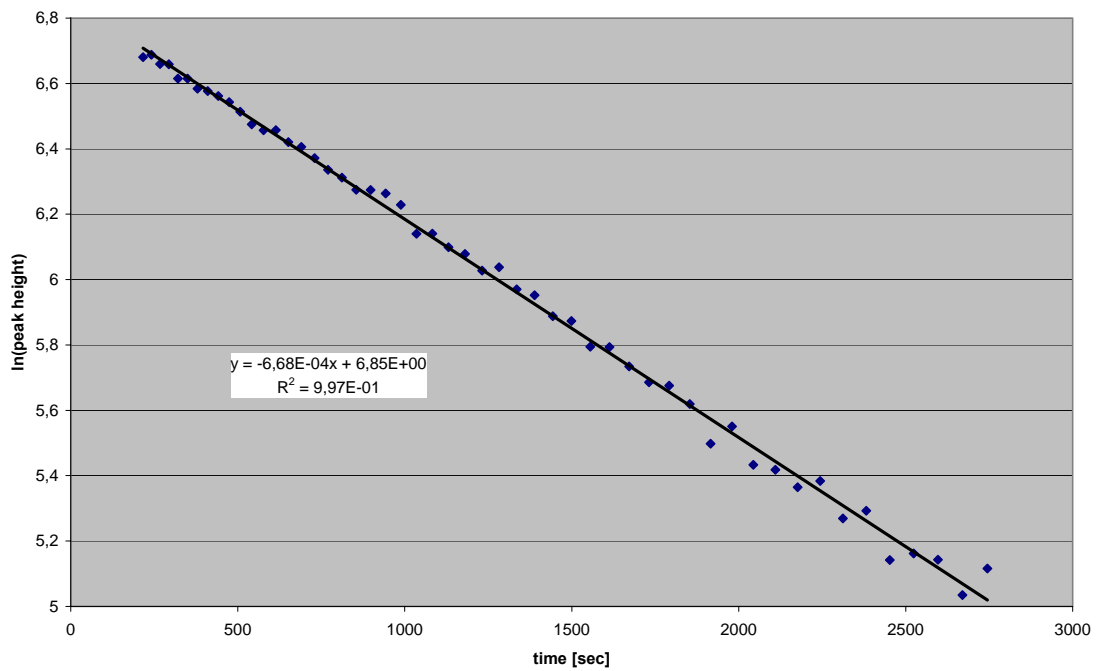
b) Initiation rate constant dependence on temperature



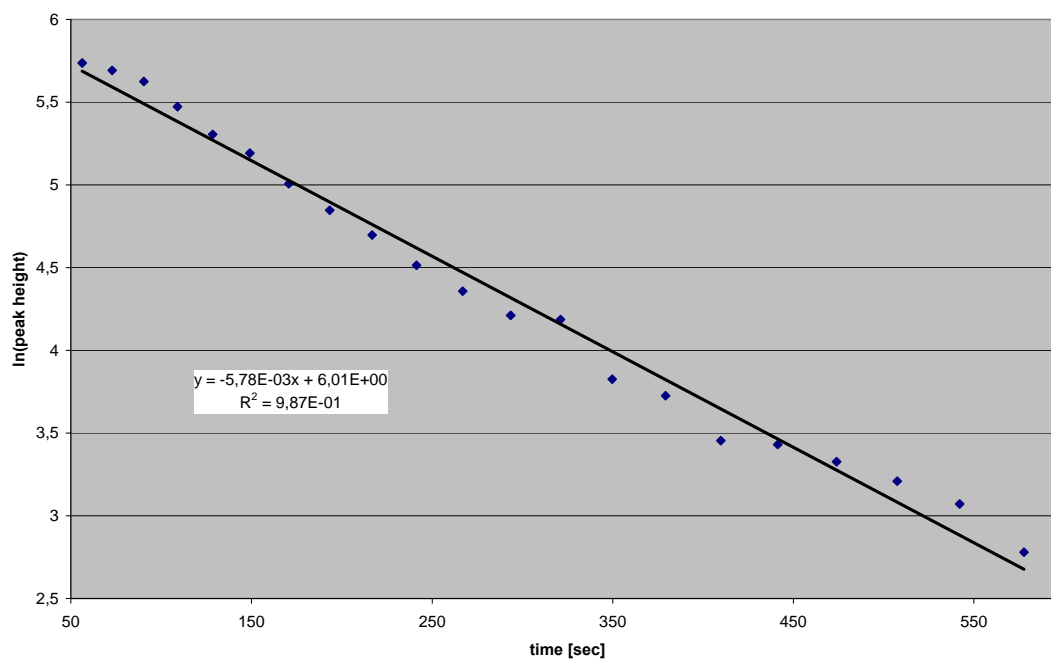
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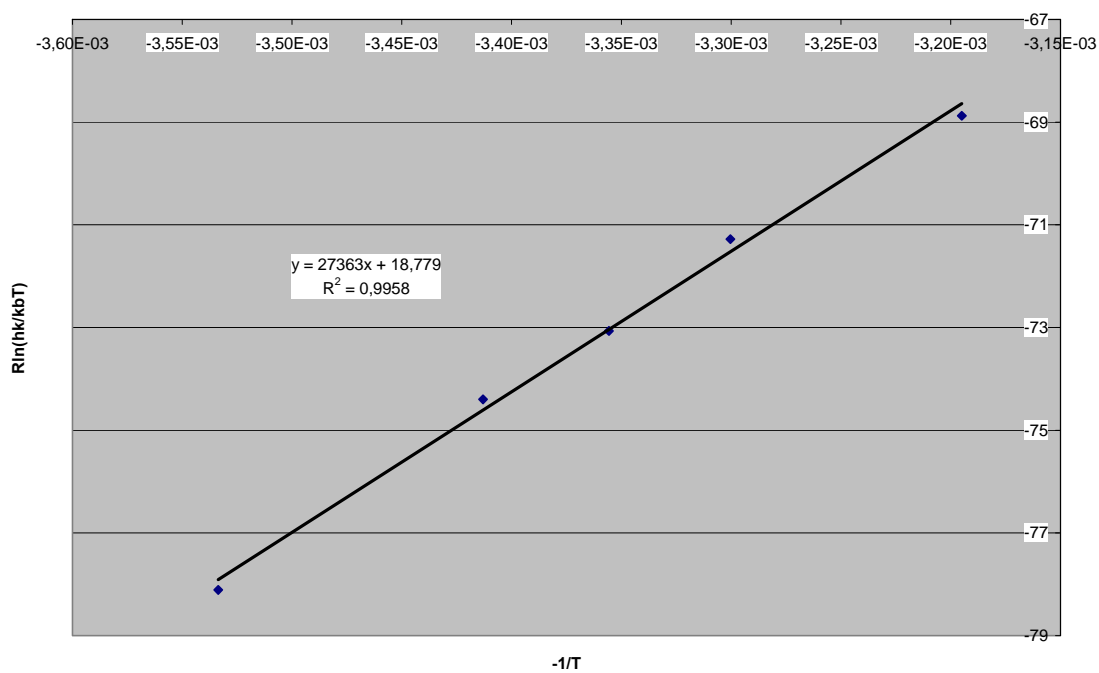
0.15 M olefin, 25 oC, 19.7 ppm peak



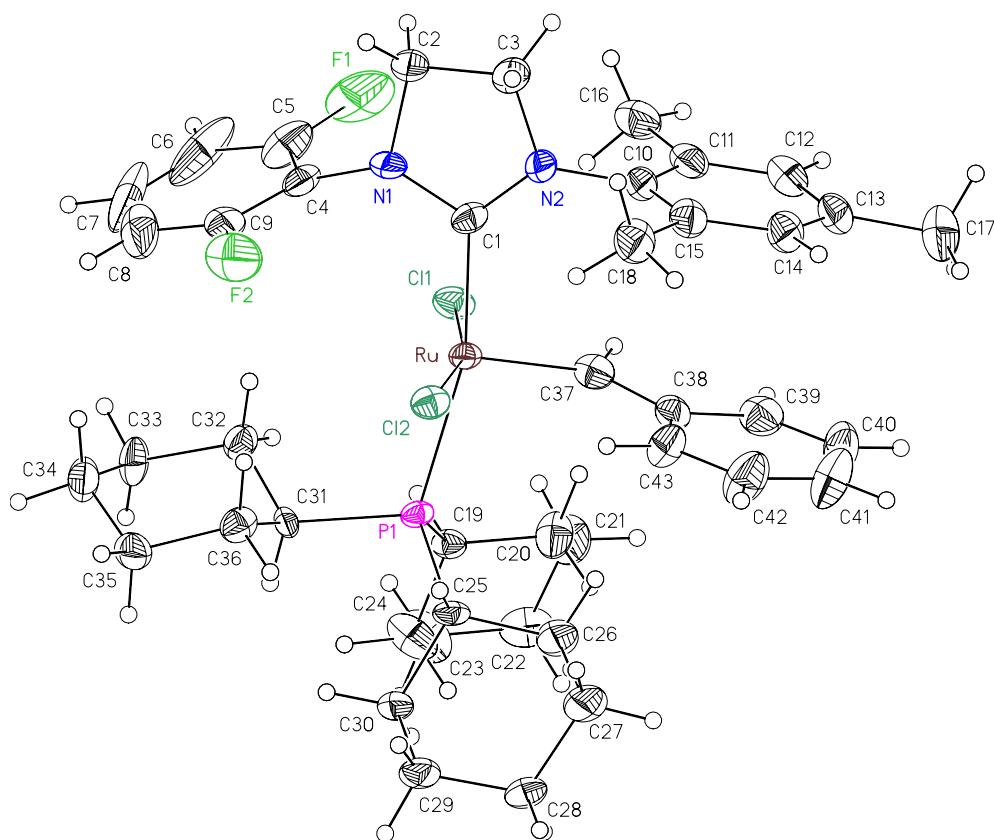
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Eyring Plot (Temp. Dep. of kobs)



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**Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for CCDC 621770.**

Empirical formula	C <sub>43</sub> H <sub>57</sub> F <sub>2</sub> N <sub>2</sub> PCl <sub>2</sub> Ru
Formula weight	842.85
Crystallization Solvent	Toluene
Crystal Habit	Fragment
Crystal size	0.37 x 0.36 x 0.23 mm <sup>3</sup>
Crystal color	Dark purple

### Data Collection

Type of diffractometer	Bruker SMART 1000
Wavelength	0.71073 Å MoK $\alpha$
Data Collection Temperature	100(2) K
$\theta$ range for 26002 reflections used in lattice determination	2.42 to 33.23°
Unit cell dimensions	a = 25.2082(12) Å b = 9.8032(5) Å c = 16.0304(8) Å
Volume	3961.4(3) Å <sup>3</sup>
Z	4
Crystal system	Orthorhombic
Space group	Pna2 <sub>1</sub>
Density (calculated)	1.413 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>
F(000)	1760
Data collection program	Bruker SMART v5.630
$\theta$ range for data collection	1.62 to 33.90°
Completeness to $\theta = 33.90^\circ$	92.8 %
Index ranges	-38 $\leq$ h $\leq$ 38, -14 $\leq$ k $\leq$ 14, -24 $\leq$ l $\leq$ 24
Data collection scan type	$\omega$ scans at 5 $\phi$ settings
Data reduction program	Bruker SAINT v6.45A
Reflections collected	65856
Independent reflections	14331 [R <sub>int</sub> = 0.0892]
Absorption coefficient	0.614 mm <sup>-1</sup>
Absorption correction	None
Max. and min. transmission	0.8717 and 0.8048

**Table 1 (cont.)****Structure solution and Refinement**

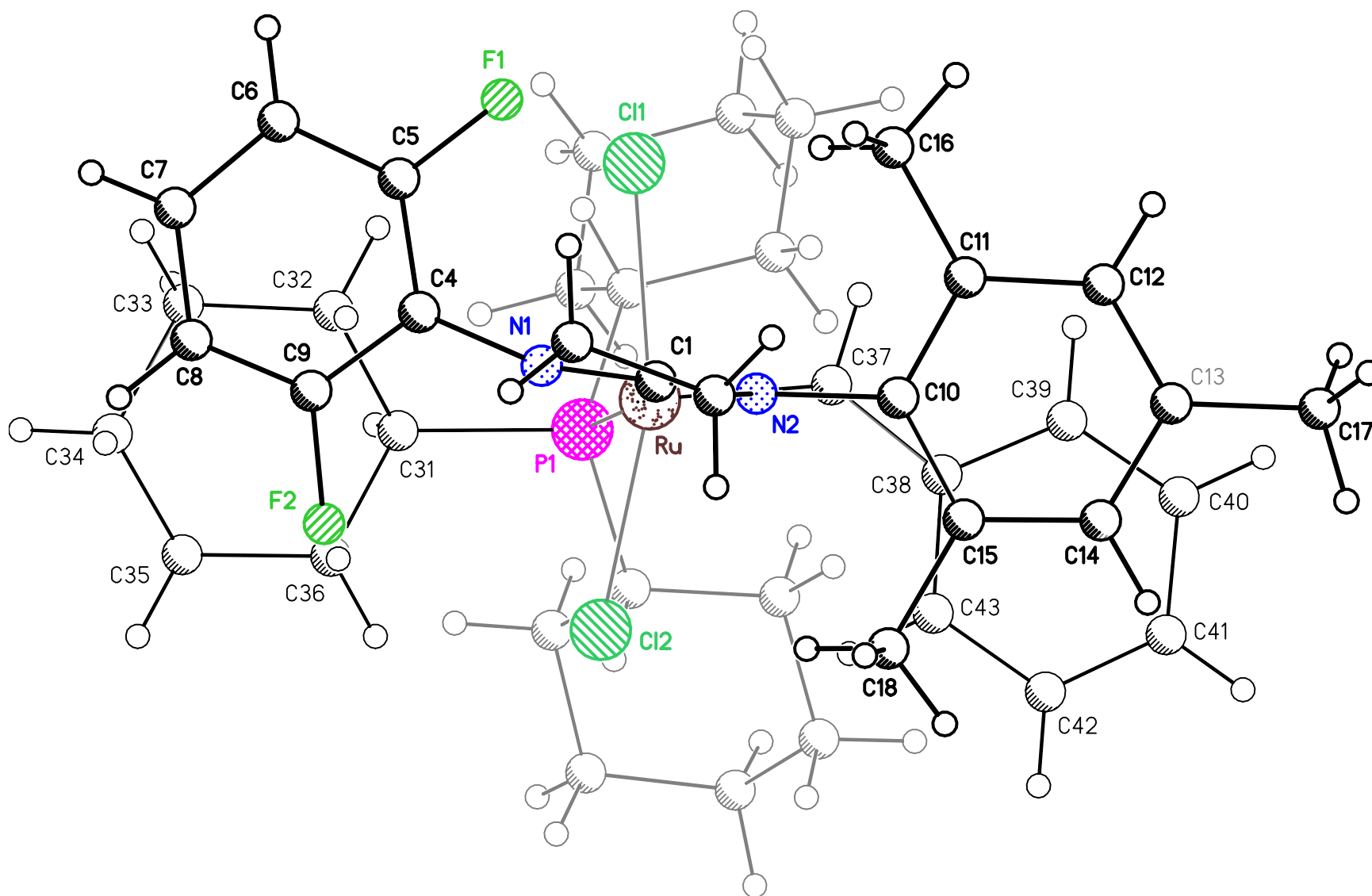
Structure solution program	Bruker XS v6.12
Primary solution method	Direct methods
Secondary solution method	Difference Fourier map
Hydrogen placement	Geometric positions
Structure refinement program	Bruker XL v6.12
Refinement method	Full matrix least-squares on $F^2$
Data / restraints / parameters	14331 / 1 / 463
Treatment of hydrogen atoms	Riding
Goodness-of-fit on $F^2$	1.823
Final R indices [ $I > 2\sigma(I)$ , 10845 reflections]	$R1 = 0.0607$ , $wR2 = 0.0978$
R indices (all data)	$R1 = 0.0864$ , $wR2 = 0.1016$
Type of weighting scheme used	Sigma
Weighting scheme used	$w = 1/\sigma^2(F_o^2)$
Max shift/error	0.001
Average shift/error	0.000
Absolute structure determination	Anomalous dispersion
Absolute structure parameter	-0.02(3)
Largest diff. peak and hole	4.072 and -1.723 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>

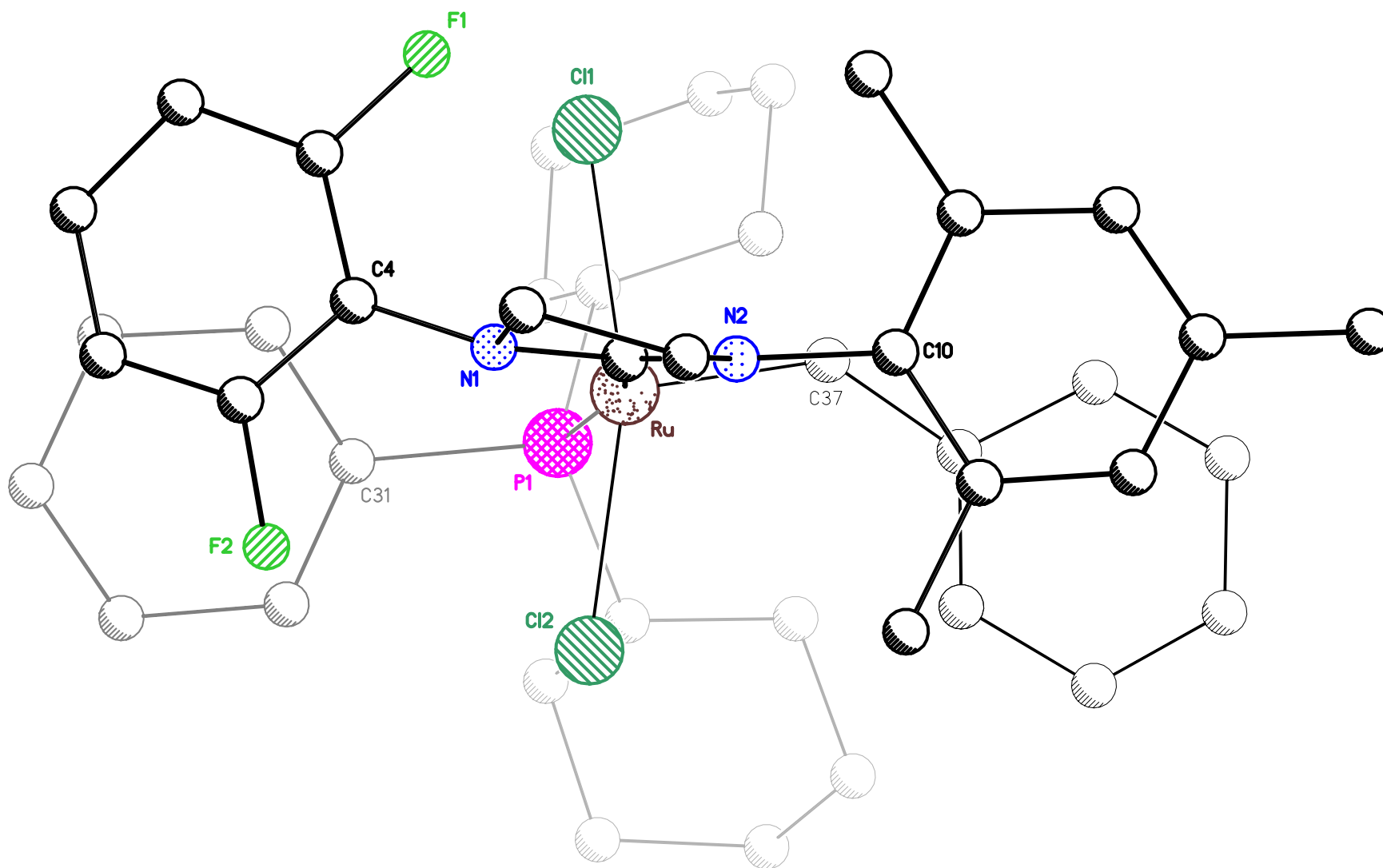
**Special Refinement Details**

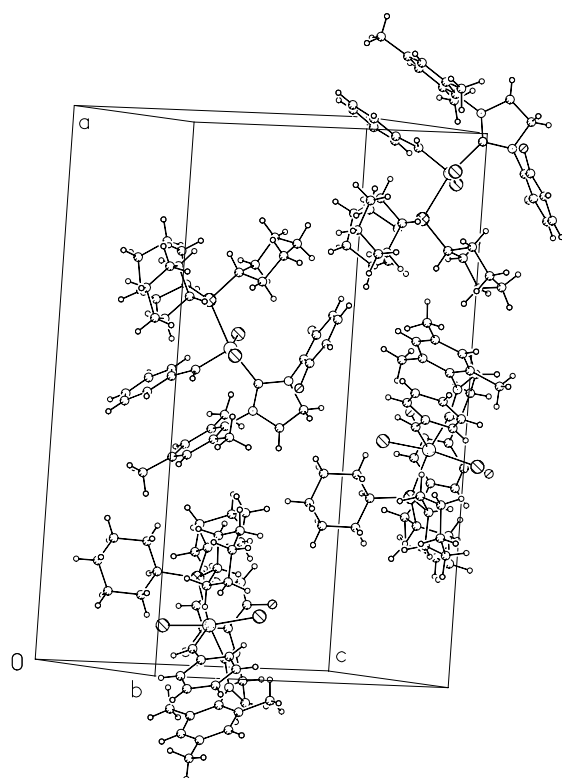
Refinement of  $F^2$  against ALL reflections. The weighted R-factor ( $wR$ ) and goodness of fit ( $S$ ) are based on  $F^2$ , conventional R-factors ( $R$ ) are based on  $F$ , with  $F$  set to zero for negative  $F^2$ . The threshold expression of  $F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)$  is used only for calculating R-factors(gt) etc. and is not relevant to the choice of reflections for refinement. R-factors based on  $F^2$  are statistically about twice as large as those based on  $F$ , and R-factors based on ALL data will be even larger.

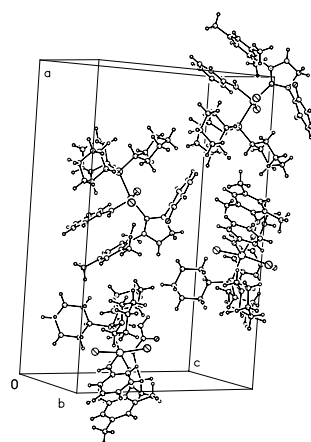
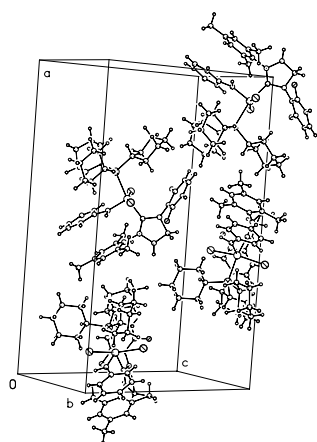
All esds (except the esd in the dihedral angle between two l.s. planes) are estimated using the full covariance matrix. The cell esds are taken into account individually in the estimation of esds in distances, angles and torsion angles; correlations between esds in cell parameters are only used when they are defined by crystal symmetry. An approximate (isotropic) treatment of cell esds is used for estimating esds involving l.s. planes.











**Table 2. Atomic coordinates (  $\times 10^4$ ) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for CCDC 621770.  $U(\text{eq})$  is defined as the trace of the orthogonalized  $U^{\text{ij}}$  tensor.**

	x	y	z	$U_{\text{eq}}$
Ru	789(1)	2430(1)	4835(1)	20(1)
P(1)	1642(1)	2818(1)	4159(1)	18(1)
Cl(1)	709(1)	291(1)	4127(1)	29(1)
Cl(2)	1021(1)	4202(1)	5792(1)	25(1)
F(1)	206(2)	-1430(3)	5681(2)	73(1)
F(2)	1193(1)	1648(3)	7252(2)	55(1)
N(1)	275(1)	1106(3)	6342(2)	29(1)
N(2)	-317(1)	2327(3)	5700(2)	31(1)
C(1)	186(2)	1913(4)	5654(2)	24(1)
C(2)	-226(2)	767(5)	6787(3)	50(1)
C(3)	-594(2)	1888(6)	6467(3)	50(1)
C(4)	699(2)	151(4)	6420(2)	28(1)
C(5)	658(2)	-1126(4)	6100(3)	46(1)
C(6)	1039(3)	-2126(5)	6215(4)	77(2)
C(7)	1479(3)	-1771(8)	6687(4)	87(3)
C(8)	1524(2)	-529(7)	7025(3)	61(2)
C(9)	1141(2)	414(5)	6894(2)	36(1)
C(10)	-627(2)	3065(4)	5093(2)	29(1)
C(11)	-854(2)	2334(4)	4437(3)	35(1)
C(12)	-1167(2)	3076(4)	3873(3)	35(1)
C(13)	-1242(2)	4458(4)	3944(3)	36(1)
C(14)	-1024(2)	5132(4)	4629(3)	34(1)
C(15)	-711(2)	4454(4)	5206(3)	32(1)
C(16)	-778(2)	831(5)	4353(3)	43(1)
C(17)	-1561(2)	5242(5)	3307(3)	51(1)
C(18)	-464(2)	5214(5)	5934(3)	39(1)
C(19)	1712(1)	1965(4)	3128(2)	21(1)
C(20)	1287(2)	2331(5)	2485(2)	37(1)
C(21)	1312(2)	1353(5)	1749(3)	45(1)
C(22)	1852(2)	1294(5)	1351(3)	39(1)
C(23)	2262(2)	966(5)	1979(3)	45(1)
C(24)	2250(2)	2004(5)	2697(3)	41(1)
C(25)	1868(1)	4612(3)	4076(2)	22(1)
C(26)	1566(2)	5439(4)	3416(3)	41(1)
C(27)	1677(2)	6960(4)	3511(3)	44(1)
C(28)	2268(2)	7244(4)	3454(3)	30(1)
C(29)	2596(2)	6359(4)	4039(3)	32(1)
C(30)	2463(1)	4853(4)	3935(2)	26(1)
C(31)	2177(1)	2000(3)	4768(3)	19(1)
C(32)	2060(1)	499(3)	4965(2)	27(1)
C(33)	2553(2)	-192(4)	5342(3)	35(1)
C(34)	2766(2)	582(4)	6092(3)	36(1)
C(35)	2832(2)	2091(4)	5935(3)	32(1)
C(36)	2314(2)	2713(4)	5588(2)	27(1)
C(37)	370(2)	3196(4)	4011(2)	28(1)
C(38)	207(2)	4550(4)	3767(2)	29(1)
C(39)	-93(2)	4701(5)	3042(3)	37(1)
C(40)	-297(2)	5924(5)	2792(3)	46(1)



C(41)	-188(2)	7072(5)	3284(3)	55(1)
C(42)	113(2)	6975(5)	3988(3)	51(1)
C(43)	313(2)	5728(4)	4234(3)	35(1)

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**Table 3. Selected bond lengths [ $\text{\AA}$ ] and angles [ $^\circ$ ] for CCDC 621770.**

Ru-C(37)	1.851(4)	C(37)-Ru-C(1)	97.60(16)
Ru-C(1)	2.071(4)	C(37)-Ru-Cl(2)	107.61(12)
Ru-Cl(2)	2.3898(9)	C(1)-Ru-Cl(2)	87.16(11)
Ru-Cl(1)	2.3931(9)	C(37)-Ru-Cl(1)	88.21(12)
Ru-P(1)	2.4379(9)	C(1)-Ru-Cl(1)	91.36(11)
		Cl(2)-Ru-Cl(1)	164.17(3)
		C(37)-Ru-P(1)	97.05(12)
		C(1)-Ru-P(1)	165.32(11)
		Cl(2)-Ru-P(1)	87.52(3)
		Cl(1)-Ru-P(1)	90.03(3)

**Table 4. Bond lengths [Å] and angles [°] for CCDC 621770.**

Ru-C(37)	1.851(4)	C(38)-C(39)	1.395(6)
Ru-C(1)	2.071(4)	C(38)-C(43)	1.402(6)
Ru-Cl(2)	2.3898(9)	C(39)-C(40)	1.364(6)
Ru-Cl(1)	2.3931(9)	C(40)-C(41)	1.401(7)
Ru-P(1)	2.4379(9)	C(41)-C(42)	1.363(7)
P(1)-C(31)	1.848(3)	C(42)-C(43)	1.380(6)
P(1)-C(25)	1.853(3)		
P(1)-C(19)	1.860(4)	C(37)-Ru-C(1)	97.60(16)
F(1)-C(5)	1.356(6)	C(37)-Ru-Cl(2)	107.61(12)
F(2)-C(9)	1.345(6)	C(1)-Ru-Cl(2)	87.16(11)
N(1)-C(1)	1.376(5)	C(37)-Ru-Cl(1)	88.21(12)
N(1)-C(4)	1.425(5)	C(1)-Ru-Cl(1)	91.36(11)
N(1)-C(2)	1.488(5)	Cl(2)-Ru-Cl(1)	164.17(3)
N(2)-C(1)	1.332(5)	C(37)-Ru-P(1)	97.05(12)
N(2)-C(10)	1.442(5)	C(1)-Ru-P(1)	165.32(11)
N(2)-C(3)	1.479(5)	Cl(2)-Ru-P(1)	87.52(3)
C(2)-C(3)	1.527(6)	Cl(1)-Ru-P(1)	90.03(3)
C(4)-C(5)	1.357(6)	C(31)-P(1)-C(25)	102.99(15)
C(4)-C(9)	1.373(6)	C(31)-P(1)-C(19)	101.86(17)
C(5)-C(6)	1.385(8)	C(25)-P(1)-C(19)	109.52(17)
C(6)-C(7)	1.389(10)	C(31)-P(1)-Ru	109.91(12)
C(7)-C(8)	1.337(10)	C(25)-P(1)-Ru	116.80(11)
C(8)-C(9)	1.354(7)	C(19)-P(1)-Ru	114.12(11)
C(10)-C(15)	1.391(6)	C(1)-N(1)-C(4)	124.8(3)
C(10)-C(11)	1.396(6)	C(1)-N(1)-C(2)	111.9(3)
C(11)-C(12)	1.403(6)	C(4)-N(1)-C(2)	116.6(3)
C(11)-C(16)	1.492(6)	C(1)-N(2)-C(10)	129.1(3)
C(12)-C(13)	1.372(6)	C(1)-N(2)-C(3)	114.0(3)
C(13)-C(14)	1.395(6)	C(10)-N(2)-C(3)	116.8(3)
C(13)-C(17)	1.511(6)	N(2)-C(1)-N(1)	106.6(3)
C(14)-C(15)	1.385(6)	N(2)-C(1)-Ru	131.2(3)
C(15)-C(18)	1.517(6)	N(1)-C(1)-Ru	121.9(3)
C(19)-C(24)	1.523(5)	N(1)-C(2)-C(3)	101.2(3)
C(19)-C(20)	1.529(5)	N(2)-C(3)-C(2)	101.6(3)
C(20)-C(21)	1.522(6)	C(5)-C(4)-C(9)	116.4(4)
C(21)-C(22)	1.505(6)	C(5)-C(4)-N(1)	121.0(4)
C(22)-C(23)	1.477(7)	C(9)-C(4)-N(1)	122.2(4)
C(23)-C(24)	1.537(6)	F(1)-C(5)-C(4)	117.0(4)
C(25)-C(30)	1.535(5)	F(1)-C(5)-C(6)	119.6(5)
C(25)-C(26)	1.536(6)	C(4)-C(5)-C(6)	123.4(5)
C(26)-C(27)	1.525(6)	C(7)-C(6)-C(5)	116.7(5)
C(27)-C(28)	1.517(6)	C(8)-C(7)-C(6)	121.1(5)
C(28)-C(29)	1.522(5)	C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	119.9(6)
C(29)-C(30)	1.523(5)	F(2)-C(9)-C(8)	118.5(5)
C(31)-C(36)	1.528(5)	F(2)-C(9)-C(4)	119.0(4)
C(31)-C(32)	1.534(4)	C(8)-C(9)-C(4)	122.5(5)
C(32)-C(33)	1.539(5)	C(15)-C(10)-C(11)	122.6(4)
C(33)-C(34)	1.519(6)	C(15)-C(10)-N(2)	119.1(4)
C(34)-C(35)	1.510(6)	C(11)-C(10)-N(2)	118.3(4)
C(35)-C(36)	1.544(5)	C(10)-C(11)-C(12)	116.8(4)
C(37)-C(38)	1.443(6)	C(10)-C(11)-C(16)	121.5(4)

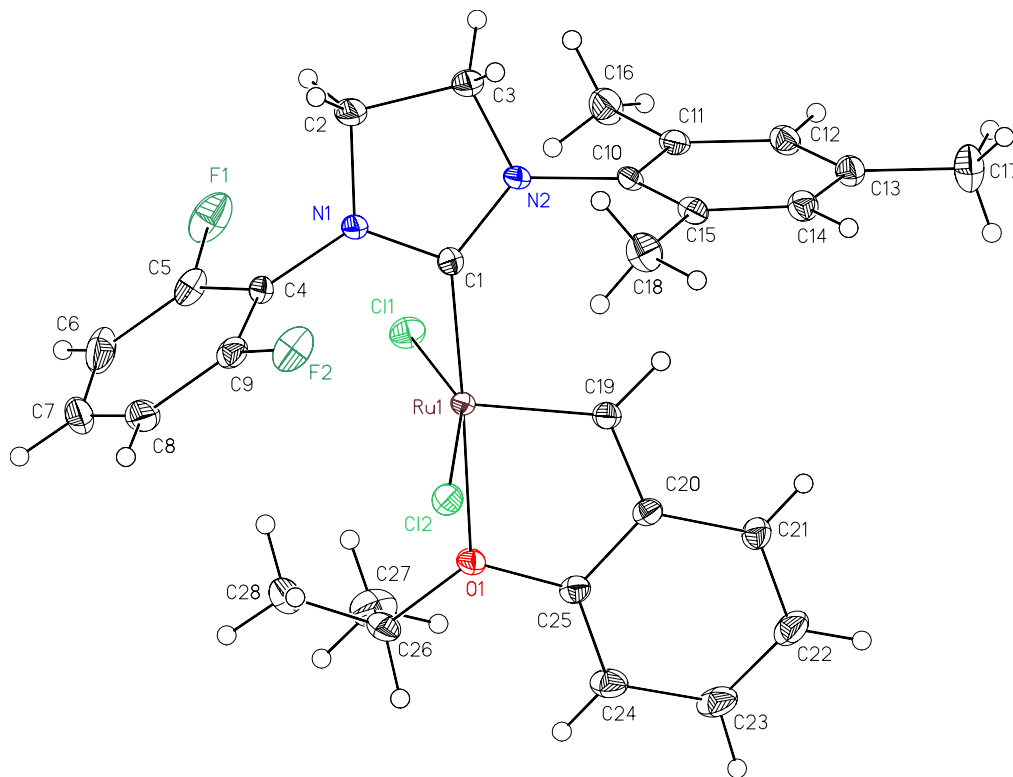
C(12)-C(11)-C(16)	121.8(4)
C(13)-C(12)-C(11)	122.4(4)
C(12)-C(13)-C(14)	118.6(4)
C(12)-C(13)-C(17)	121.3(4)
C(14)-C(13)-C(17)	120.1(4)
C(15)-C(14)-C(13)	121.6(4)
C(10)-C(15)-C(14)	118.0(4)
C(10)-C(15)-C(18)	121.3(4)
C(14)-C(15)-C(18)	120.7(4)
C(24)-C(19)-C(20)	108.3(3)
C(24)-C(19)-P(1)	118.4(3)
C(20)-C(19)-P(1)	115.3(3)
C(21)-C(20)-C(19)	110.2(3)
C(22)-C(21)-C(20)	113.0(4)
C(23)-C(22)-C(21)	110.6(4)
C(22)-C(23)-C(24)	110.7(4)
C(19)-C(24)-C(23)	109.9(3)
C(30)-C(25)-C(26)	107.6(3)
C(30)-C(25)-P(1)	117.2(2)
C(26)-C(25)-P(1)	113.4(3)
C(27)-C(26)-C(25)	110.8(4)
C(28)-C(27)-C(26)	110.8(4)
C(27)-C(28)-C(29)	113.1(3)
C(30)-C(29)-C(28)	111.4(3)
C(29)-C(30)-C(25)	110.4(3)
C(36)-C(31)-C(32)	107.8(3)
C(36)-C(31)-P(1)	114.9(2)
C(32)-C(31)-P(1)	112.6(2)
C(31)-C(32)-C(33)	110.4(3)
C(34)-C(33)-C(32)	112.1(3)
C(35)-C(34)-C(33)	113.4(3)
C(34)-C(35)-C(36)	110.7(3)
C(31)-C(36)-C(35)	108.7(3)
C(38)-C(37)-Ru	136.8(3)
C(39)-C(38)-C(43)	117.4(4)
C(39)-C(38)-C(37)	118.6(4)
C(43)-C(38)-C(37)	124.0(4)
C(40)-C(39)-C(38)	122.8(4)
C(39)-C(40)-C(41)	117.8(4)
C(42)-C(41)-C(40)	121.3(4)
C(41)-C(42)-C(43)	120.1(5)
C(42)-C(43)-C(38)	120.6(4)

**Table 5. Anisotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^4$ ) for CCDC 621770. The anisotropic displacement factor exponent takes the form:  $-2\pi^2 [h^2 a^{*2} U^{11} + \dots + 2 h k a^* b^* U^{12}]$**

	$U^{11}$	$U^{22}$	$U^{33}$	$U^{23}$	$U^{13}$	$U^{12}$
Ru	176(1)	165(1)	252(1)	29(1)	58(1)	9(1)
P(1)	201(4)	127(4)	223(4)	14(3)	52(4)	0(3)
Cl(1)	255(4)	207(4)	399(5)	-27(4)	53(4)	-33(3)
Cl(2)	277(4)	231(4)	252(4)	-17(3)	68(4)	9(3)
F(1)	1070(30)	432(18)	690(20)	17(16)	-130(20)	-453(17)
F(2)	566(18)	750(20)	346(15)	-76(14)	-47(14)	-206(16)
N(1)	190(15)	337(19)	343(18)	103(15)	90(13)	-2(13)
N(2)	211(14)	364(19)	341(19)	155(15)	50(13)	64(14)
C(1)	292(19)	174(17)	270(20)	28(14)	32(16)	-17(15)
C(2)	220(20)	760(40)	520(30)	380(30)	140(20)	70(20)
C(3)	280(20)	700(30)	520(30)	370(30)	150(20)	120(20)
C(4)	340(20)	260(20)	241(19)	82(14)	70(16)	1(16)
C(5)	750(40)	270(20)	360(30)	43(18)	20(20)	-50(20)
C(6)	1560(70)	260(30)	480(40)	130(20)	270(40)	320(30)
C(7)	920(50)	1200(60)	490(40)	550(40)	350(30)	810(50)
C(8)	410(30)	1130(50)	300(30)	250(30)	80(20)	260(30)
C(9)	290(20)	610(30)	175(19)	96(18)	65(16)	-60(20)
C(10)	195(16)	350(20)	320(20)	95(15)	43(15)	66(16)
C(11)	201(18)	340(20)	510(20)	76(19)	37(16)	14(17)
C(12)	248(19)	430(20)	380(20)	-52(18)	-12(18)	-2(18)
C(13)	216(18)	450(30)	410(30)	47(19)	7(17)	80(17)
C(14)	285(19)	350(20)	390(30)	33(17)	51(16)	116(17)
C(15)	270(20)	390(20)	280(20)	5(17)	38(17)	51(18)
C(16)	330(20)	410(30)	560(30)	30(20)	-20(20)	-100(20)
C(17)	450(30)	540(30)	530(30)	40(20)	-110(20)	160(20)
C(18)	360(20)	430(30)	390(30)	19(19)	58(19)	110(20)
C(19)	218(16)	228(17)	197(17)	-16(13)	5(14)	-51(14)
C(20)	390(20)	450(30)	260(20)	10(19)	27(17)	140(20)
C(21)	470(30)	660(30)	230(20)	-30(20)	-10(20)	30(20)
C(22)	500(30)	320(20)	340(20)	-122(18)	130(20)	-75(19)
C(23)	380(20)	560(30)	410(30)	-300(20)	50(20)	60(20)
C(24)	280(20)	590(30)	370(30)	-220(20)	21(18)	-50(20)
C(25)	207(15)	147(16)	310(20)	18(14)	64(15)	-46(12)
C(26)	350(20)	260(20)	610(30)	130(20)	-30(20)	-75(17)
C(27)	380(20)	220(20)	720(30)	170(20)	30(20)	-17(18)
C(28)	350(20)	200(20)	340(20)	33(15)	34(17)	-86(15)
C(29)	300(20)	290(20)	350(20)	45(17)	-31(18)	-147(16)
C(30)	225(17)	227(19)	320(20)	49(15)	16(16)	-51(14)
C(31)	131(12)	195(14)	239(18)	21(17)	-40(16)	17(10)
C(32)	297(17)	214(17)	290(20)	41(15)	2(16)	22(14)
C(33)	380(20)	260(20)	410(30)	39(18)	-90(20)	141(18)
C(34)	330(20)	420(30)	320(20)	82(18)	-63(18)	89(18)
C(35)	271(19)	430(20)	250(20)	14(16)	-36(16)	-54(17)
C(36)	309(18)	230(20)	270(20)	14(15)	48(15)	36(15)
C(37)	279(19)	360(20)	200(20)	-56(16)	26(16)	-46(16)
C(38)	207(18)	390(20)	270(20)	23(17)	35(15)	29(16)
C(39)	350(20)	480(30)	280(20)	-19(19)	44(18)	-30(20)

C(40)	460(30)	620(30)	300(20)	100(20)	-110(20)	90(20)
C(41)	800(40)	410(30)	450(30)	110(20)	-100(30)	170(30)
C(42)	740(40)	310(20)	480(30)	60(20)	-120(30)	-10(20)
C(43)	460(20)	300(20)	270(20)	39(17)	-49(18)	-4(18)

**[RuCl<sub>2</sub> (1-(2,6-difluorophenyl)-3-mesityl-dihydroimidazol-ylidene) (=CH-*o*-*i*PrO-Ph)] (6)**



**Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for CCDC 612854.**

Empirical formula	C <sub>28</sub> H <sub>30</sub> F <sub>2</sub> N <sub>2</sub> OCl <sub>2</sub> Ru
Formula weight	620.51
Crystallization Solvent	Toluene
Crystal Habit	Blade
Crystal size	0.27 x 0.22 x 0.15 mm <sup>3</sup>
Crystal color	Trichroic - Brown/olive/bright green

**Data Collection**

Type of diffractometer	Bruker SMART 1000	
Wavelength	0.71073 Å MoK $\alpha$	
Data Collection Temperature	100(2) K	
$\theta$ range for 24143 reflections used in lattice determination	2.39 to 43.26°	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 17.0577(5) Å b = 10.1643(3) Å c = 17.1021(5) Å	$\beta$ = 113.5310(10)°
Volume	2718.58(14) Å <sup>3</sup>	
Z	4	
Crystal system	Monoclinic	
Space group	P2 <sub>1</sub> /c	
Density (calculated)	1.516 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
F(000)	1264	
Data collection program	Bruker SMART v5.630	
$\theta$ range for data collection	2.39 to 44.11°	
Completeness to $\theta$ = 44.11°	88.5 %	
Index ranges	-30 $\leq$ h $\leq$ 33, -18 $\leq$ k $\leq$ 18, -31 $\leq$ l $\leq$ 31	
Data collection scan type	$\omega$ scans at 8 $\phi$ settings	
Data reduction program	Bruker SAINT v6.45A	
Reflections collected	64388	
Independent reflections	18912 [R <sub>int</sub> = 0.0748]	
Absorption coefficient	0.811 mm <sup>-1</sup>	
Absorption correction	None	
Max. and min. transmission	0.8880 and 0.8108	



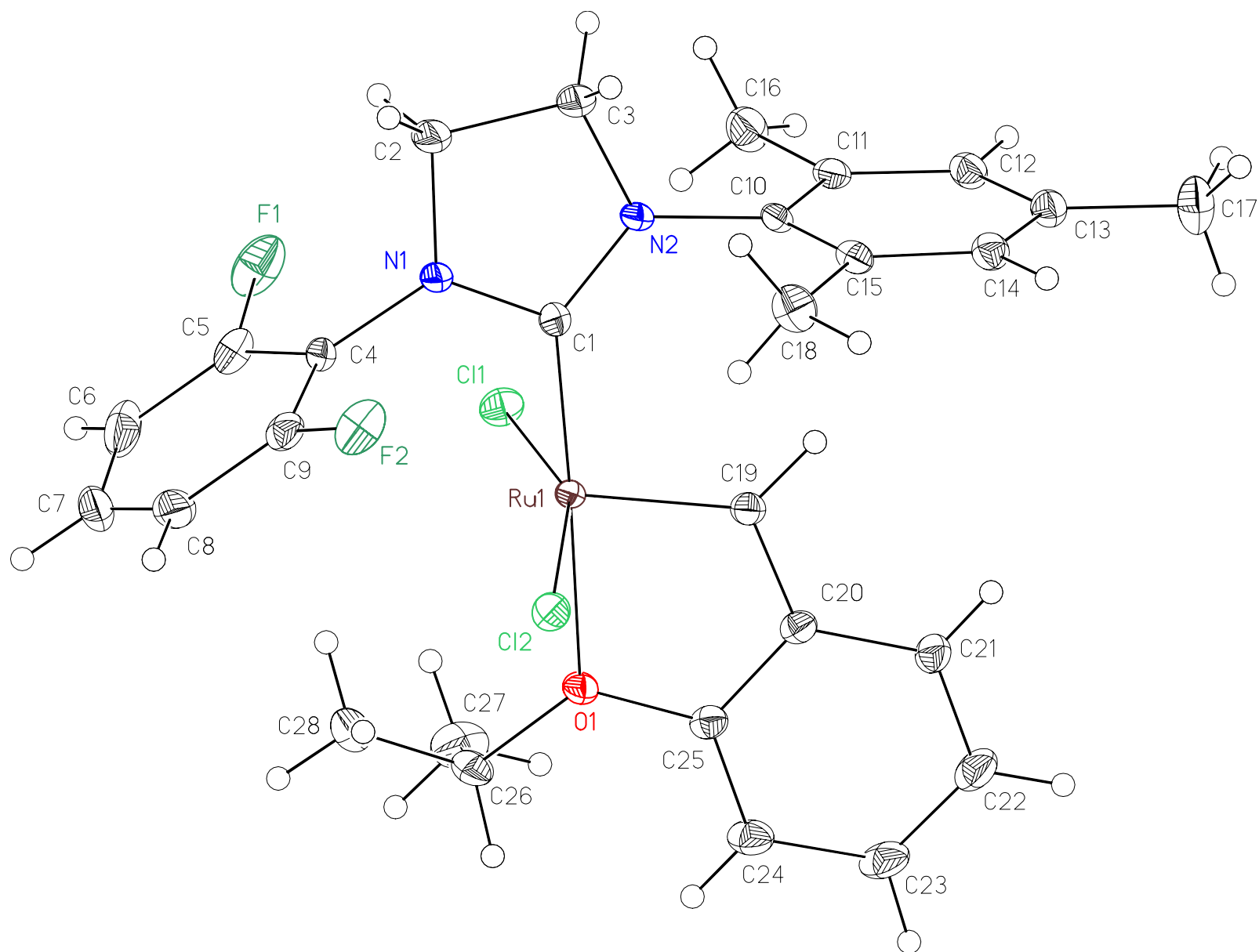
**Table 1 (cont.)****Structure solution and Refinement**

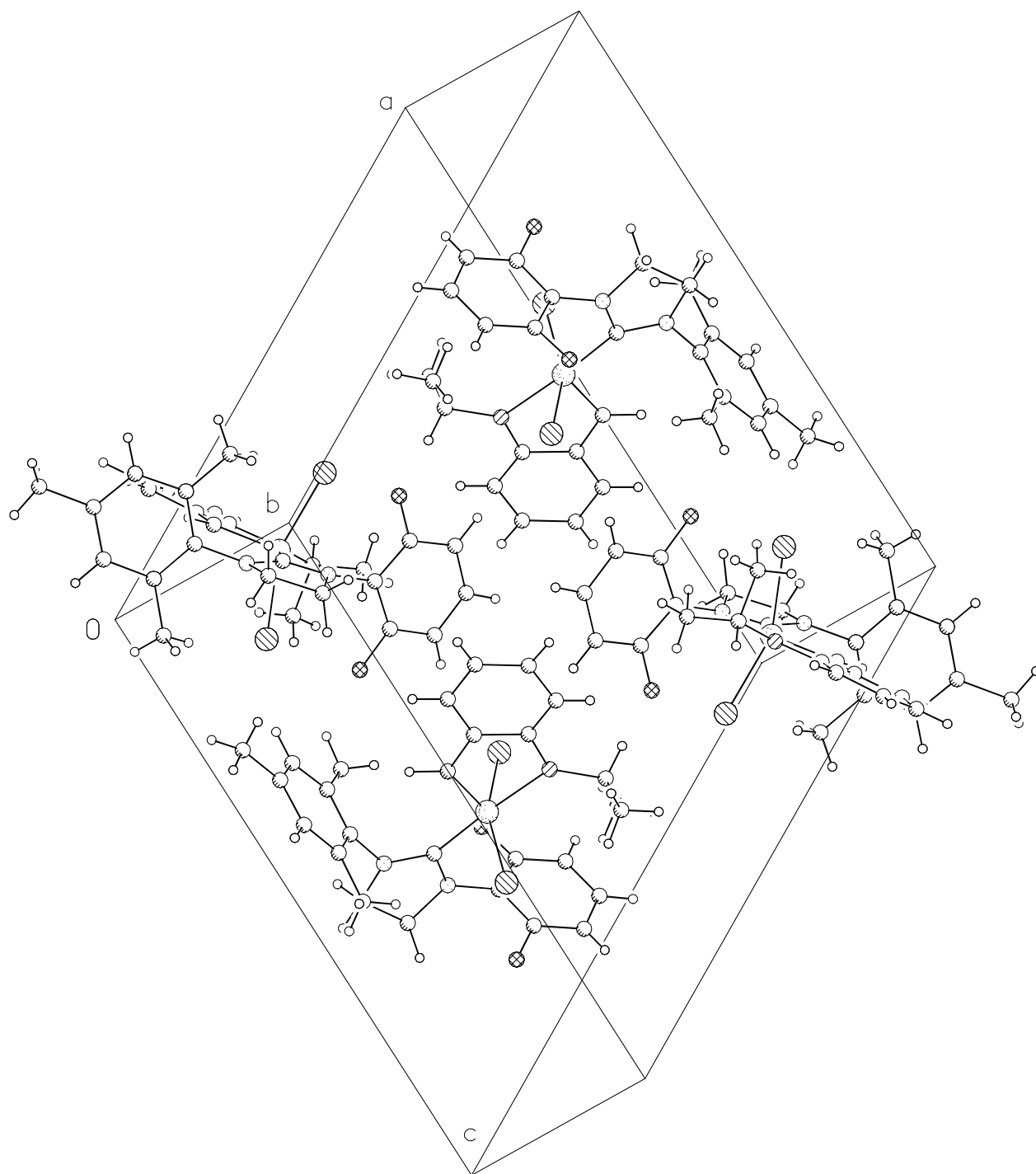
Structure solution program	Bruker XS v6.12
Primary solution method	Direct methods
Secondary solution method	Difference Fourier map
Hydrogen placement	Difference Fourier map
Structure refinement program	Bruker XL v6.12
Refinement method	Full matrix least-squares on $F^2$
Data / restraints / parameters	18912 / 0 / 445
Treatment of hydrogen atoms	Unrestrained
Goodness-of-fit on $F^2$	1.145
Final R indices [ $I > 2\sigma(I)$ , 12464 reflections]	$R_1 = 0.0364$ , $wR_2 = 0.0662$
R indices (all data)	$R_1 = 0.0702$ , $wR_2 = 0.0718$
Type of weighting scheme used	Sigma
Weighting scheme used	$w = 1/\sigma^2(F_o^2)$
Max shift/error	0.002
Average shift/error	0.000
Largest diff. peak and hole	1.213 and -0.739 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>

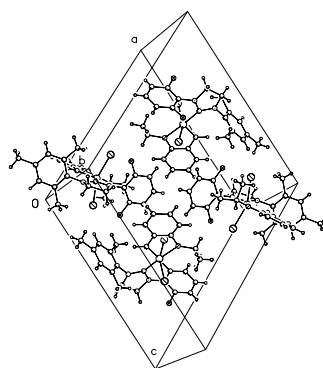
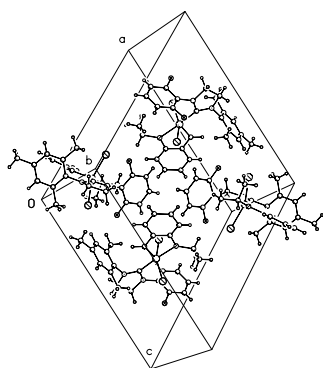
**Special Refinement Details**

Refinement of  $F^2$  against ALL reflections. The weighted R-factor ( $wR$ ) and goodness of fit ( $S$ ) are based on  $F^2$ , conventional R-factors ( $R$ ) are based on  $F$ , with  $F$  set to zero for negative  $F^2$ . The threshold expression of  $F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)$  is used only for calculating R-factors(gt) etc. and is not relevant to the choice of reflections for refinement. R-factors based on  $F^2$  are statistically about twice as large as those based on  $F$ , and R-factors based on ALL data will be even larger.

All esds (except the esd in the dihedral angle between two l.s. planes) are estimated using the full covariance matrix. The cell esds are taken into account individually in the estimation of esds in distances, angles and torsion angles; correlations between esds in cell parameters are only used when they are defined by crystal symmetry. An approximate (isotropic) treatment of cell esds is used for estimating esds involving l.s. planes.







**Table 2. Atomic coordinates (  $\times 10^4$ ) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for CCDC 612854.  $U(\text{eq})$  is defined as the trace of the orthogonalized  $U^{\text{ij}}$  tensor.**

	x	y	z	$U_{\text{eq}}$
Ru(1)	2741(1)	1641(1)	1568(1)	10(1)
Cl(1)	1971(1)	724(1)	2293(1)	18(1)
Cl(2)	3919(1)	2604(1)	1418(1)	16(1)
F(1)	2248(1)	3116(1)	3517(1)	32(1)
F(2)	3869(1)	5257(1)	2250(1)	25(1)
O(1)	3467(1)	-261(1)	1802(1)	14(1)
N(1)	2315(1)	4190(1)	2052(1)	17(1)
N(2)	1313(1)	3672(1)	829(1)	15(1)
C(1)	2072(1)	3269(1)	1420(1)	13(1)
C(2)	1656(1)	5182(2)	1952(1)	26(1)
C(3)	1042(1)	4965(2)	1031(1)	23(1)
C(4)	3049(1)	4063(1)	2825(1)	13(1)
C(5)	3018(1)	3486(1)	3552(1)	19(1)
C(6)	3736(1)	3322(2)	4299(1)	28(1)
C(7)	4504(1)	3790(2)	4332(1)	31(1)
C(8)	4563(1)	4455(2)	3650(1)	25(1)
C(9)	3835(1)	4583(1)	2911(1)	17(1)
C(10)	870(1)	3154(1)	-15(1)	13(1)
C(11)	171(1)	2305(1)	-178(1)	14(1)
C(12)	-271(1)	1859(1)	-1012(1)	16(1)
C(13)	-39(1)	2260(1)	-1672(1)	16(1)
C(14)	657(1)	3107(1)	-1486(1)	16(1)
C(15)	1121(1)	3564(1)	-662(1)	14(1)
C(16)	-101(1)	1892(2)	520(1)	22(1)
C(17)	-519(1)	1769(2)	-2569(1)	27(1)
C(18)	1888(1)	4440(2)	-474(1)	21(1)
C(19)	2241(1)	894(1)	507(1)	14(1)
C(20)	2563(1)	-364(1)	367(1)	13(1)
C(21)	2276(1)	-979(1)	-432(1)	17(1)
C(22)	2617(1)	-2177(1)	-532(1)	22(1)
C(23)	3245(1)	-2773(1)	172(1)	23(1)
C(24)	3544(1)	-2193(1)	973(1)	19(1)
C(25)	3210(1)	-990(1)	1063(1)	14(1)
C(26)	4066(1)	-824(1)	2619(1)	19(1)
C(27)	3608(1)	-1823(2)	2940(1)	28(1)
C(28)	4416(1)	319(2)	3221(1)	26(1)

**Table 3. Selected bond lengths [ $\text{\AA}$ ] and angles [ $^\circ$ ] for CCDC 612854.**

Ru(1)-C(19)	1.8337(12)	C(19)-Ru(1)-C(1)	101.74(5)
Ru(1)-C(1)	1.9688(12)	C(19)-Ru(1)-O(1)	79.94(4)
Ru(1)-O(1)	2.2441(8)	C(1)-Ru(1)-O(1)	176.05(4)
Ru(1)-Cl(1)	2.3303(3)	C(19)-Ru(1)-Cl(1)	102.81(4)
Ru(1)-Cl(2)	2.3396(3)	C(1)-Ru(1)-Cl(1)	89.08(4)
		O(1)-Ru(1)-Cl(1)	87.06(2)
		C(19)-Ru(1)-Cl(2)	98.37(4)
		C(1)-Ru(1)-Cl(2)	96.52(4)
		O(1)-Ru(1)-Cl(2)	86.72(2)
		Cl(1)-Ru(1)-Cl(2)	156.505(12)

**Table 4. Bond lengths [Å] and angles [°] for CCDC 612854.**

Ru(1)-C(19)	1.8337(12)	C(20)-C(21)	1.4023(17)
Ru(1)-C(1)	1.9688(12)	C(20)-C(25)	1.4109(17)
Ru(1)-O(1)	2.2441(8)	C(21)-C(22)	1.3899(19)
Ru(1)-Cl(1)	2.3303(3)	C(21)-H(21)	0.918(17)
Ru(1)-Cl(2)	2.3396(3)	C(22)-C(23)	1.391(2)
F(1)-C(5)	1.3440(16)	C(22)-H(22)	0.905(16)
F(2)-C(9)	1.3419(15)	C(23)-C(24)	1.387(2)
O(1)-C(25)	1.3775(15)	C(23)-H(23)	0.955(17)
O(1)-C(26)	1.4775(15)	C(24)-C(25)	1.3833(18)
N(1)-C(1)	1.3637(15)	C(24)-H(24)	0.892(16)
N(1)-C(4)	1.4184(15)	C(26)-C(28)	1.508(2)
N(1)-C(2)	1.4685(16)	C(26)-C(27)	1.511(2)
N(2)-C(1)	1.3489(15)	C(26)-H(26)	0.941(17)
N(2)-C(10)	1.4365(16)	C(27)-H(27A)	0.93(2)
N(2)-C(3)	1.4782(17)	C(27)-H(27B)	0.97(2)
C(2)-C(3)	1.520(2)	C(27)-H(27C)	0.96(2)
C(2)-H(2A)	0.927(18)	C(28)-H(28A)	0.985(17)
C(2)-H(2B)	1.018(19)	C(28)-H(28B)	0.95(2)
C(3)-H(3A)	0.947(18)	C(28)-H(28C)	0.960(18)
C(3)-H(3B)	0.965(18)		
C(4)-C(5)	1.3950(18)	C(19)-Ru(1)-C(1)	101.74(5)
C(4)-C(9)	1.3935(18)	C(19)-Ru(1)-O(1)	79.94(4)
C(5)-C(6)	1.382(2)	C(1)-Ru(1)-O(1)	176.05(4)
C(6)-C(7)	1.374(3)	C(19)-Ru(1)-Cl(1)	102.81(4)
C(6)-H(6)	0.85(2)	C(1)-Ru(1)-Cl(1)	89.08(4)
C(7)-C(8)	1.384(3)	O(1)-Ru(1)-Cl(1)	87.06(2)
C(7)-H(7)	0.92(2)	C(19)-Ru(1)-Cl(2)	98.37(4)
C(8)-C(9)	1.3792(19)	C(1)-Ru(1)-Cl(2)	96.52(4)
C(8)-H(8)	0.93(2)	O(1)-Ru(1)-Cl(2)	86.72(2)
C(10)-C(15)	1.3984(17)	Cl(1)-Ru(1)-Cl(2)	156.505(12)
C(10)-C(11)	1.4069(17)	C(25)-O(1)-C(26)	120.40(9)
C(11)-C(12)	1.3960(18)	C(25)-O(1)-Ru(1)	110.41(7)
C(11)-C(16)	1.5020(19)	C(26)-O(1)-Ru(1)	128.80(7)
C(12)-C(13)	1.3978(18)	C(1)-N(1)-C(4)	123.52(10)
C(12)-H(12)	0.957(16)	C(1)-N(1)-C(2)	113.77(10)
C(13)-C(14)	1.3961(18)	C(4)-N(1)-C(2)	121.45(10)
C(13)-C(17)	1.5058(19)	C(1)-N(2)-C(10)	127.11(10)
C(14)-C(15)	1.3922(18)	C(1)-N(2)-C(3)	113.03(10)
C(14)-H(14)	0.962(16)	C(10)-N(2)-C(3)	118.20(10)
C(15)-C(18)	1.5071(18)	N(2)-C(1)-N(1)	106.39(10)
C(16)-H(16A)	0.96(2)	N(2)-C(1)-Ru(1)	133.30(9)
C(16)-H(16B)	0.87(2)	N(1)-C(1)-Ru(1)	119.83(8)
C(16)-H(16C)	0.92(2)	N(1)-C(2)-C(3)	101.49(10)
C(17)-H(17A)	0.97(2)	N(1)-C(2)-H(2A)	111.8(11)
C(17)-H(17B)	0.98(2)	C(3)-C(2)-H(2A)	114.6(11)
C(17)-H(17C)	0.86(2)	N(1)-C(2)-H(2B)	107.1(10)
C(18)-H(18A)	0.94(2)	C(3)-C(2)-H(2B)	114.1(11)
C(18)-H(18B)	0.87(2)	H(2A)-C(2)-H(2B)	107.6(14)
C(18)-H(18C)	0.97(2)	N(2)-C(3)-C(2)	102.78(11)
C(19)-C(20)	1.4481(17)	N(2)-C(3)-H(3A)	113.9(11)
C(19)-H(19)	0.997(16)	C(2)-C(3)-H(3A)	109.1(10)

N(2)-C(3)-H(3B)	110.8(11)	C(15)-C(18)-H(18C)	113.7(12)
C(2)-C(3)-H(3B)	111.9(11)	H(18A)-C(18)-H(18C)	111.2(16)
H(3A)-C(3)-H(3B)	108.4(15)	H(18B)-C(18)-H(18C)	101.7(18)
C(5)-C(4)-C(9)	116.32(12)	C(20)-C(19)-Ru(1)	118.13(9)
C(5)-C(4)-N(1)	122.32(12)	C(20)-C(19)-H(19)	115.8(9)
C(9)-C(4)-N(1)	121.25(12)	Ru(1)-C(19)-H(19)	126.1(9)
F(1)-C(5)-C(6)	119.82(13)	C(21)-C(20)-C(25)	118.18(11)
F(1)-C(5)-C(4)	117.50(12)	C(21)-C(20)-C(19)	123.13(12)
C(6)-C(5)-C(4)	122.64(13)	C(25)-C(20)-C(19)	118.67(11)
C(7)-C(6)-C(5)	118.32(14)	C(22)-C(21)-C(20)	120.69(13)
C(7)-C(6)-H(6)	122.3(14)	C(22)-C(21)-H(21)	121.3(10)
C(5)-C(6)-H(6)	119.3(14)	C(20)-C(21)-H(21)	118.0(10)
C(6)-C(7)-C(8)	121.51(14)	C(21)-C(22)-C(23)	119.36(13)
C(6)-C(7)-H(7)	115.8(14)	C(21)-C(22)-H(22)	119.5(11)
C(8)-C(7)-H(7)	122.7(14)	C(23)-C(22)-H(22)	121.1(10)
C(9)-C(8)-C(7)	118.52(14)	C(24)-C(23)-C(22)	121.50(12)
C(9)-C(8)-H(8)	119.8(13)	C(24)-C(23)-H(23)	116.0(10)
C(7)-C(8)-H(8)	121.7(13)	C(22)-C(23)-H(23)	122.5(10)
F(2)-C(9)-C(8)	119.67(13)	C(25)-C(24)-C(23)	118.70(13)
F(2)-C(9)-C(4)	117.92(12)	C(25)-C(24)-H(24)	120.1(11)
C(8)-C(9)-C(4)	122.39(13)	C(23)-C(24)-H(24)	121.1(11)
C(15)-C(10)-C(11)	121.94(11)	O(1)-C(25)-C(24)	125.70(12)
C(15)-C(10)-N(2)	118.81(11)	O(1)-C(25)-C(20)	112.74(10)
C(11)-C(10)-N(2)	119.16(11)	C(24)-C(25)-C(20)	121.54(12)
C(12)-C(11)-C(10)	118.03(11)	O(1)-C(26)-C(28)	106.42(11)
C(12)-C(11)-C(16)	120.59(12)	O(1)-C(26)-C(27)	109.90(12)
C(10)-C(11)-C(16)	121.38(12)	C(28)-C(26)-C(27)	112.97(13)
C(11)-C(12)-C(13)	121.34(12)	O(1)-C(26)-H(26)	107.4(10)
C(11)-C(12)-H(12)	118.7(9)	C(28)-C(26)-H(26)	109.6(10)
C(13)-C(12)-H(12)	119.8(9)	C(27)-C(26)-H(26)	110.3(10)
C(14)-C(13)-C(12)	118.90(12)	C(26)-C(27)-H(27A)	112.1(13)
C(14)-C(13)-C(17)	120.24(12)	C(26)-C(27)-H(27B)	107.9(12)
C(12)-C(13)-C(17)	120.86(12)	H(27A)-C(27)-H(27B)	108.1(17)
C(15)-C(14)-C(13)	121.68(12)	C(26)-C(27)-H(27C)	111.2(11)
C(15)-C(14)-H(14)	120.2(10)	H(27A)-C(27)-H(27C)	111.3(17)
C(13)-C(14)-H(14)	118.1(10)	H(27B)-C(27)-H(27C)	106.0(16)
C(14)-C(15)-C(10)	118.10(11)	C(26)-C(28)-H(28A)	113.3(10)
C(14)-C(15)-C(18)	120.51(12)	C(26)-C(28)-H(28B)	109.0(12)
C(10)-C(15)-C(18)	121.37(12)	H(28A)-C(28)-H(28B)	115.8(16)
C(11)-C(16)-H(16A)	110.4(12)	C(26)-C(28)-H(28C)	109.5(11)
C(11)-C(16)-H(16B)	114.8(14)	H(28A)-C(28)-H(28C)	106.9(14)
H(16A)-C(16)-H(16B)	102.2(17)	H(28B)-C(28)-H(28C)	101.5(15)
C(11)-C(16)-H(16C)	111.1(12)		
H(16A)-C(16)-H(16C)	112.6(17)		
H(16B)-C(16)-H(16C)	105.4(17)		
C(13)-C(17)-H(17A)	113.4(13)		
C(13)-C(17)-H(17B)	110.5(12)		
H(17A)-C(17)-H(17B)	109.3(18)		
C(13)-C(17)-H(17C)	108.4(14)		
H(17A)-C(17)-H(17C)	106.7(19)		
H(17B)-C(17)-H(17C)	108.3(18)		
C(15)-C(18)-H(18A)	110.9(12)		
C(15)-C(18)-H(18B)	113.2(15)		
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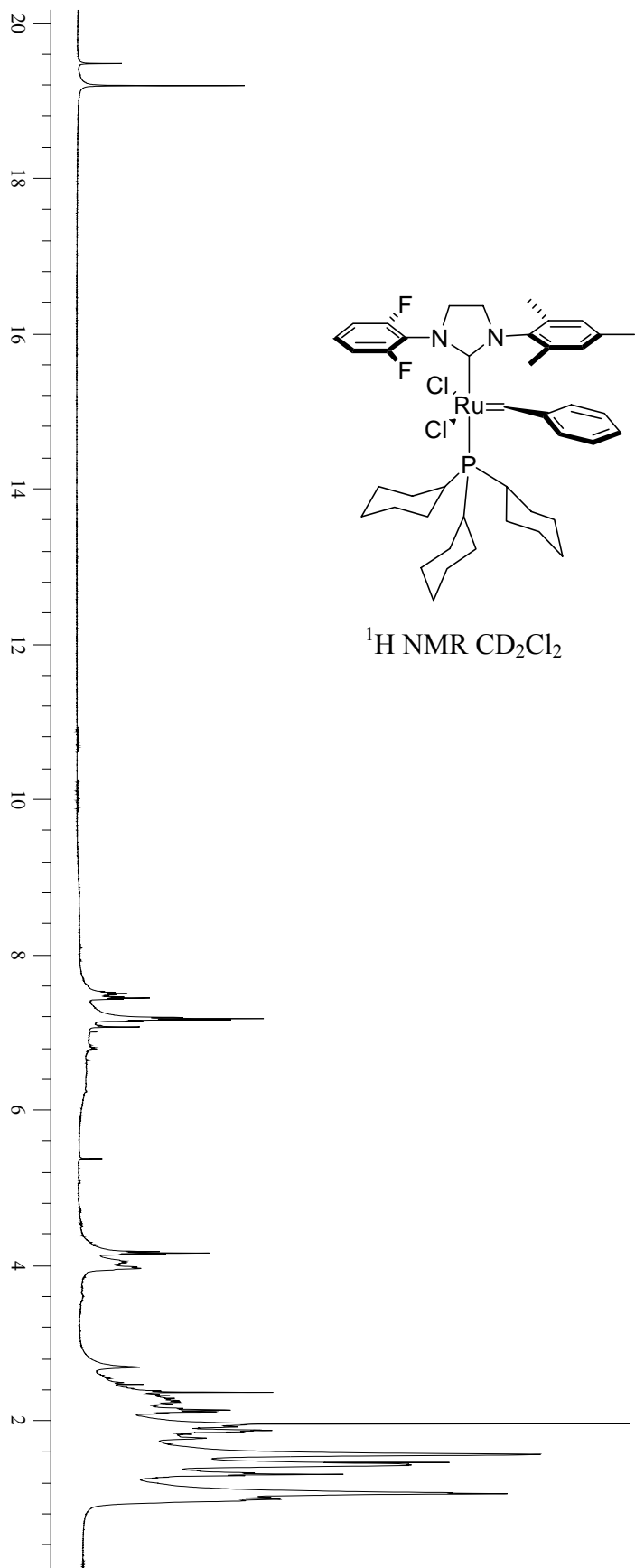
**Table 5. Anisotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^4$ ) for CCDC 612854. The anisotropic displacement factor exponent takes the form:  $-2\pi^2 [h^2 a^{*2} U^{11} + \dots + 2h k a^* b^* U^{12}]$**

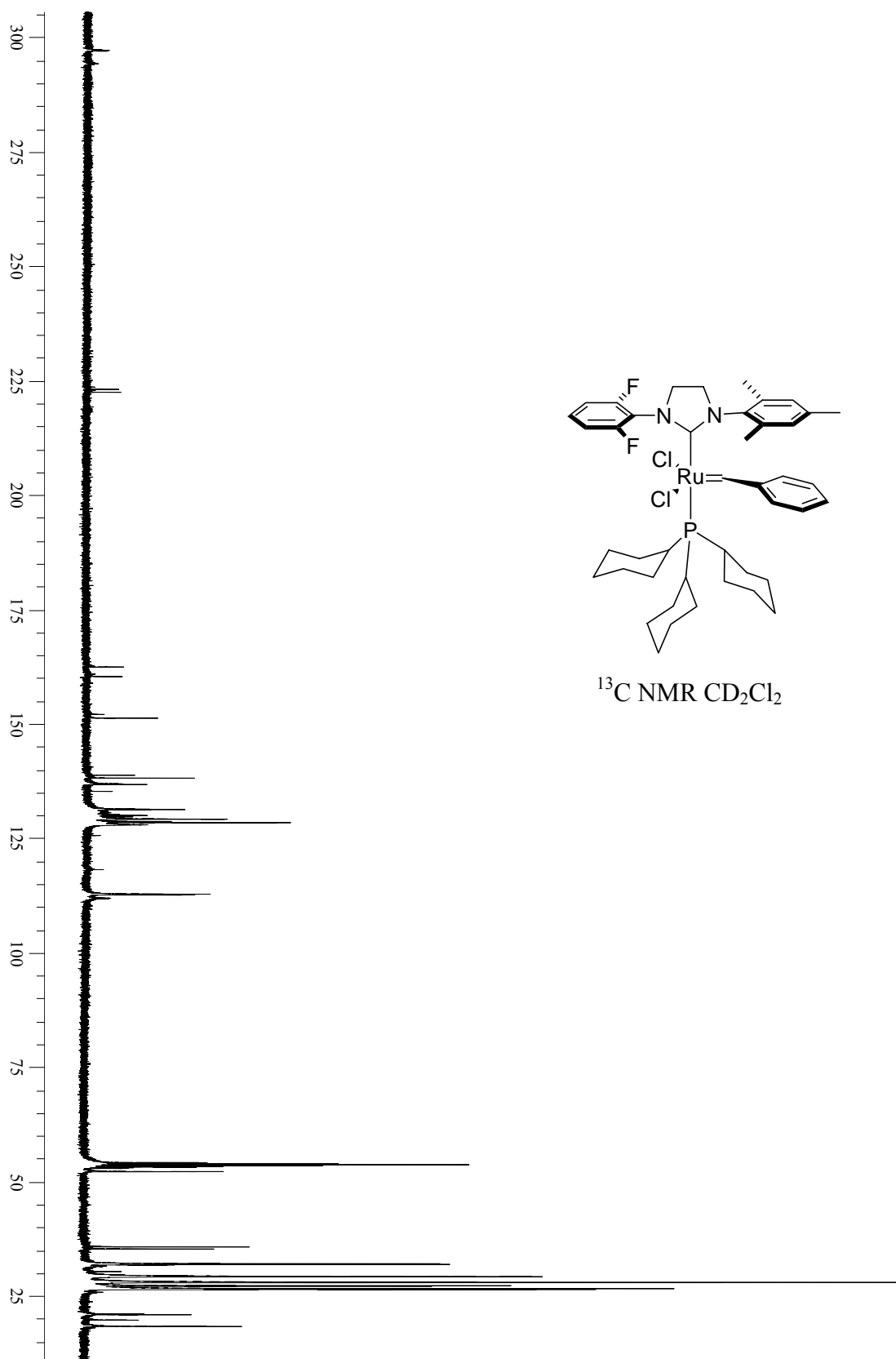
	U <sup>11</sup>	U <sup>22</sup>	U <sup>33</sup>	U <sup>23</sup>	U <sup>13</sup>	U <sup>12</sup>
Ru(1)	87(1)	106(1)	107(1)	-10(1)	29(1)	9(1)
Cl(1)	172(1)	188(1)	203(2)	9(1)	111(1)	-1(1)
Cl(2)	129(1)	173(1)	181(1)	-38(1)	68(1)	-35(1)
F(1)	382(5)	322(5)	358(5)	-109(4)	271(5)	-143(4)
F(2)	364(5)	179(4)	286(5)	-27(3)	206(4)	-67(4)
O(1)	144(4)	122(4)	139(4)	3(3)	29(3)	36(3)
N(1)	133(4)	169(5)	146(5)	-52(4)	7(4)	57(4)
N(2)	117(4)	151(5)	142(5)	-30(3)	12(4)	52(4)
C(1)	115(4)	137(5)	122(5)	-16(4)	37(4)	-4(4)
C(2)	188(6)	245(7)	244(7)	-112(6)	-9(5)	95(5)
C(3)	208(6)	218(7)	209(7)	-65(5)	15(5)	108(5)
C(4)	128(5)	132(5)	116(5)	-31(4)	26(4)	8(4)
C(5)	262(6)	165(6)	187(6)	-45(5)	124(5)	-27(5)
C(6)	466(9)	224(7)	131(6)	2(5)	94(6)	59(7)
C(7)	282(8)	309(8)	190(7)	-91(6)	-53(6)	110(6)
C(8)	136(5)	269(7)	289(8)	-132(6)	26(5)	-4(5)
C(9)	180(5)	136(5)	190(6)	-50(4)	79(5)	-14(4)
C(10)	96(4)	131(5)	125(5)	-11(4)	10(4)	27(4)
C(11)	112(5)	155(5)	154(6)	12(4)	50(4)	28(4)
C(12)	120(5)	164(6)	165(6)	-5(4)	38(4)	-7(4)
C(13)	153(5)	153(6)	152(6)	-10(4)	43(4)	2(4)
C(14)	157(5)	169(6)	149(6)	10(4)	59(5)	8(4)
C(15)	116(4)	131(5)	157(5)	9(4)	33(4)	10(4)
C(16)	176(6)	311(8)	172(6)	22(5)	72(5)	-3(5)
C(17)	282(7)	326(9)	167(7)	-51(6)	55(6)	-79(7)
C(18)	183(6)	212(7)	229(7)	-2(5)	72(5)	-57(5)
C(19)	120(5)	128(5)	148(5)	-11(4)	44(4)	6(4)
C(20)	121(5)	127(5)	165(6)	-25(4)	68(4)	-14(4)
C(21)	152(5)	170(6)	170(6)	-50(4)	56(5)	-22(4)
C(22)	214(6)	207(7)	259(7)	-111(5)	115(6)	-32(5)
C(23)	206(6)	142(6)	339(8)	-79(5)	119(6)	3(5)
C(24)	166(5)	138(6)	259(7)	-10(5)	73(5)	21(5)
C(25)	127(5)	121(5)	175(6)	-19(4)	67(4)	-9(4)
C(26)	174(6)	200(6)	172(6)	44(5)	42(5)	69(5)
C(27)	361(8)	229(8)	312(8)	107(6)	190(7)	88(6)
C(28)	223(7)	296(8)	187(7)	-12(6)	14(6)	61(6)

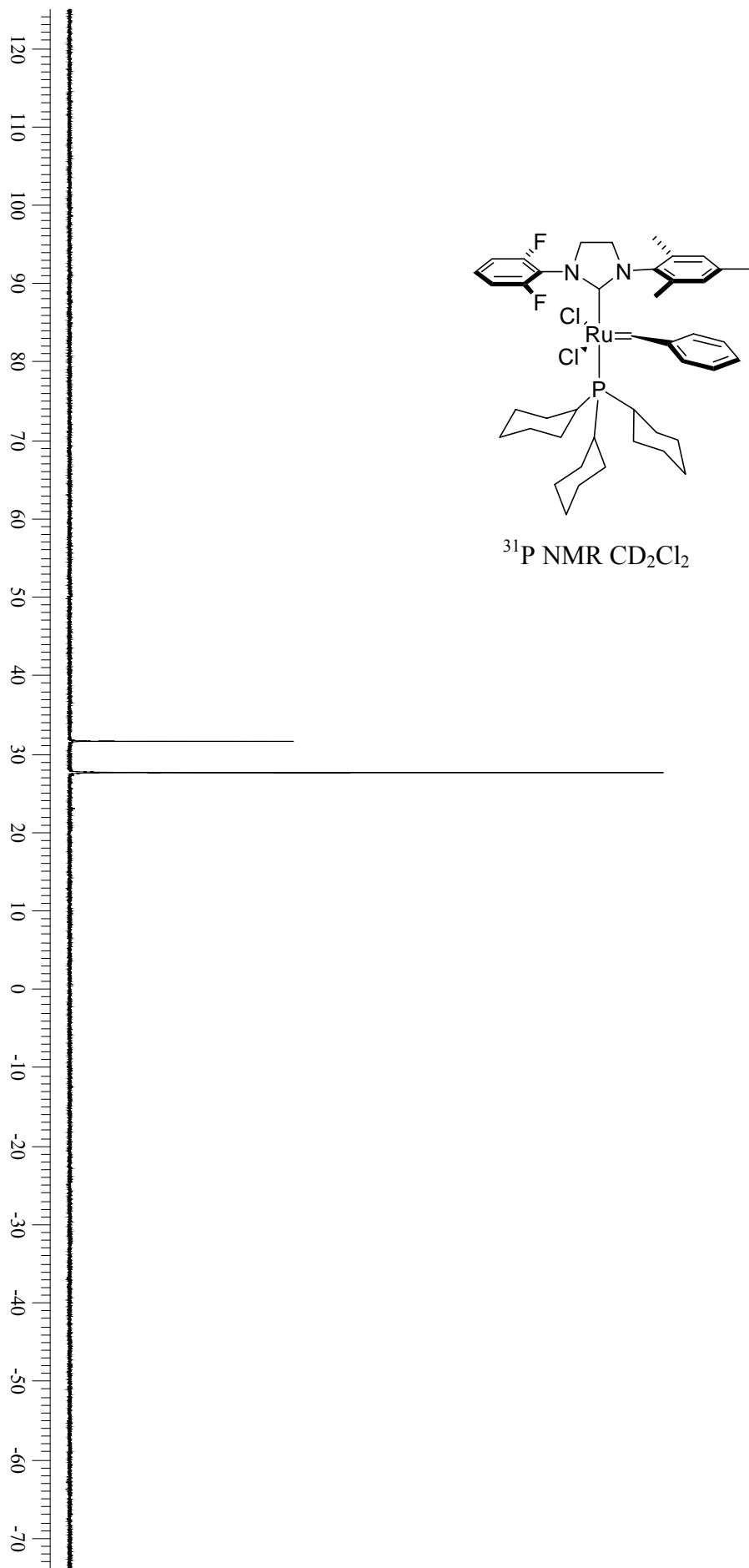
**Table 6. Hydrogen coordinates (  $\times 10^4$ ) and isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^{-3}$ ) for CCDC 612854.**

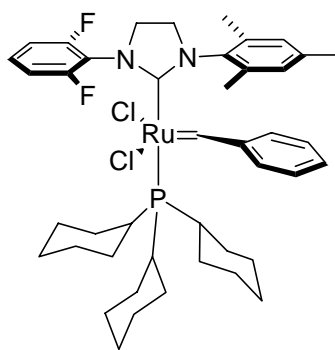
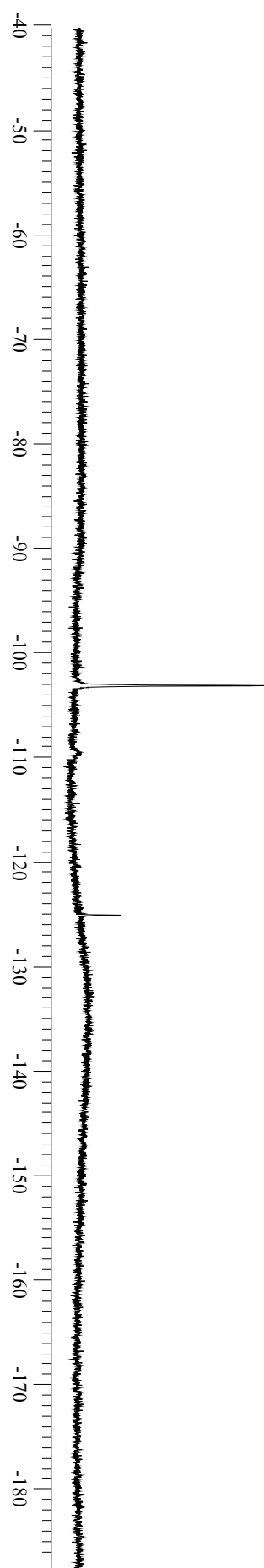
	x	y	z	$U_{\text{iso}}$
H(2A)	1885(11)	6022(18)	2071(11)	25(5)
H(2B)	1404(12)	4968(18)	2386(12)	33(5)
H(3A)	474(11)	4978(17)	997(11)	23(4)
H(3B)	1097(12)	5638(18)	659(11)	30(5)
H(6)	3693(13)	2905(19)	4714(13)	40(6)
H(7)	4966(14)	3660(20)	4836(14)	50(6)
H(8)	5076(13)	4810(20)	3682(13)	46(6)
H(12)	-762(11)	1312(15)	-1135(10)	18(4)
H(14)	815(11)	3364(15)	-1944(10)	18(4)
H(16A)	-351(13)	2620(20)	696(13)	44(6)
H(16B)	313(14)	1660(20)	992(14)	49(6)
H(16C)	-460(13)	1170(20)	357(12)	38(5)
H(17A)	-654(15)	2460(20)	-2997(14)	61(7)
H(17B)	-1047(15)	1330(20)	-2620(13)	50(6)
H(17C)	-201(14)	1210(20)	-2684(13)	48(6)
H(18A)	2022(13)	4517(19)	-954(13)	45(6)
H(18B)	2349(15)	4140(20)	-67(14)	54(7)
H(18C)	1831(13)	5300(20)	-253(12)	39(5)
H(19)	1758(10)	1271(15)	7(10)	15(4)
H(21)	1862(11)	-560(16)	-886(11)	23(4)
H(22)	2419(10)	-2566(16)	-1052(10)	21(4)
H(23)	3504(11)	-3590(16)	134(10)	23(4)
H(24)	3957(11)	-2568(17)	1419(10)	22(4)
H(26)	4512(11)	-1230(16)	2517(10)	21(4)
H(27A)	3203(14)	-1430(20)	3104(13)	45(6)
H(27B)	4033(13)	-2254(19)	3437(13)	41(6)
H(27C)	3358(12)	-2502(19)	2529(12)	35(5)
H(28A)	4637(11)	1035(17)	2978(11)	23(4)
H(28B)	4799(14)	-10(20)	3761(13)	44(6)
H(28C)	3970(12)	687(17)	3361(11)	28(5)

# NMR Spectra

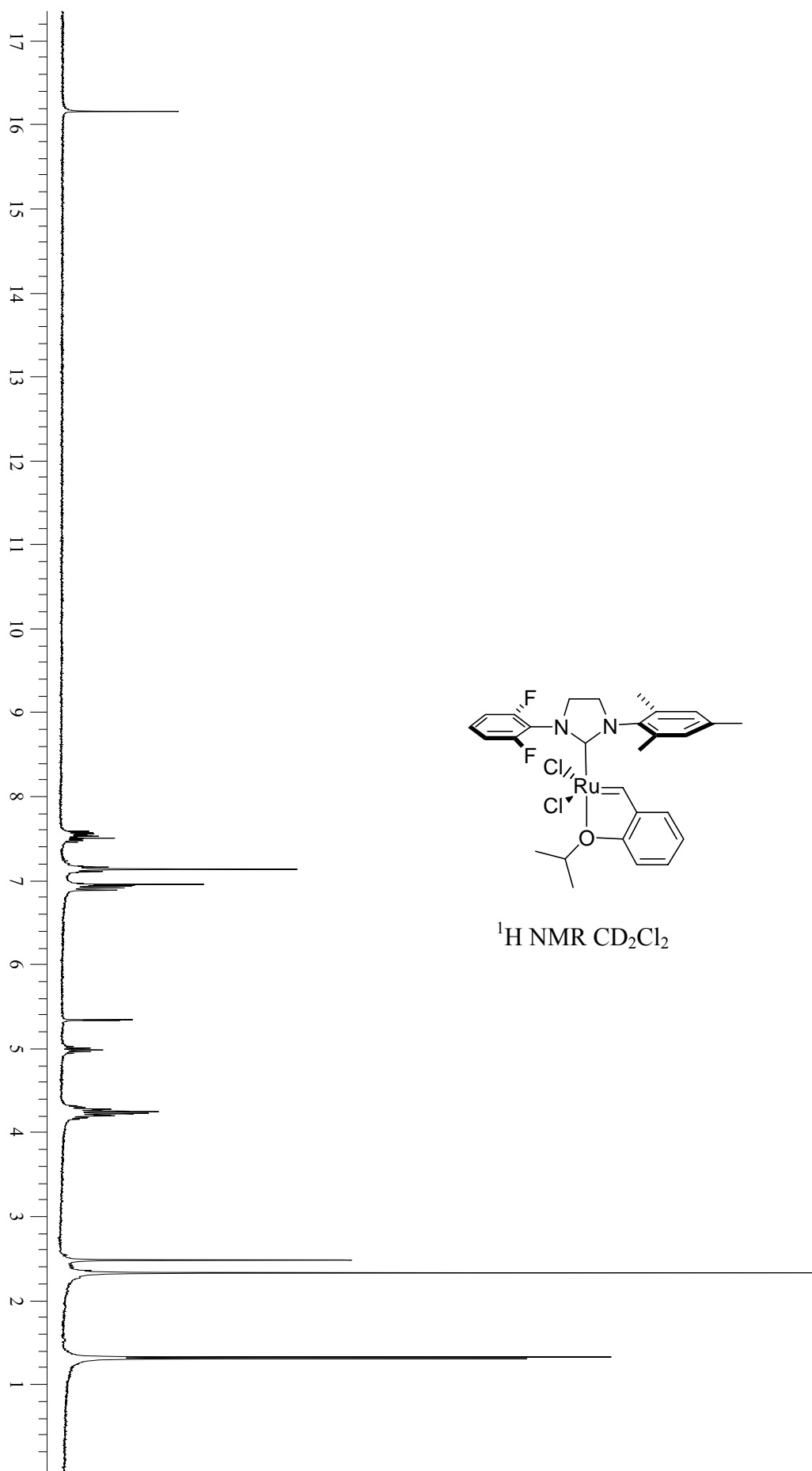


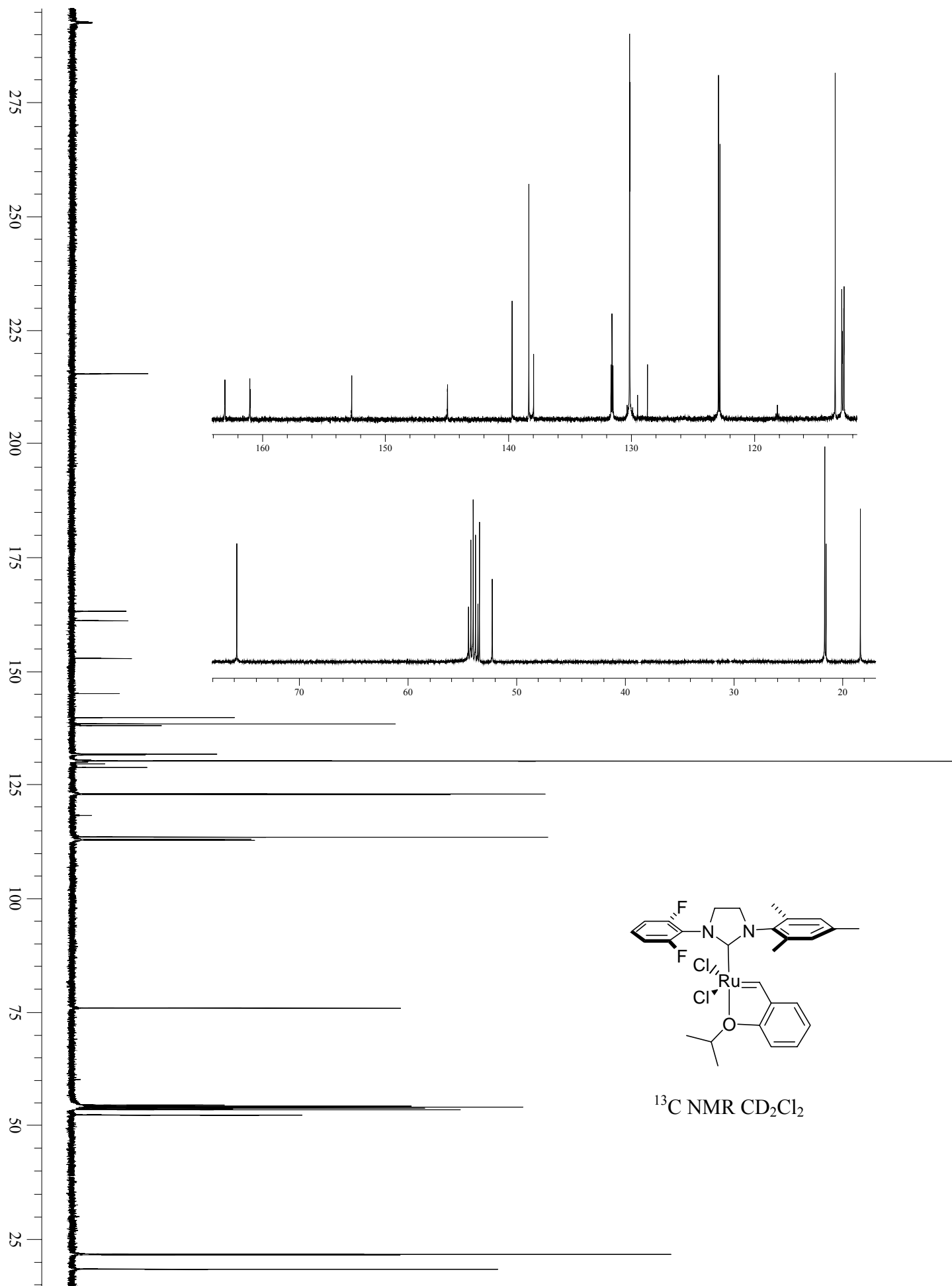




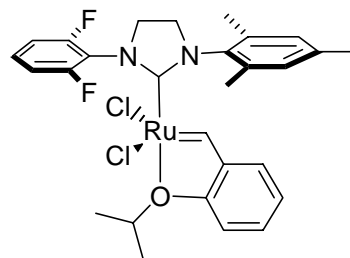
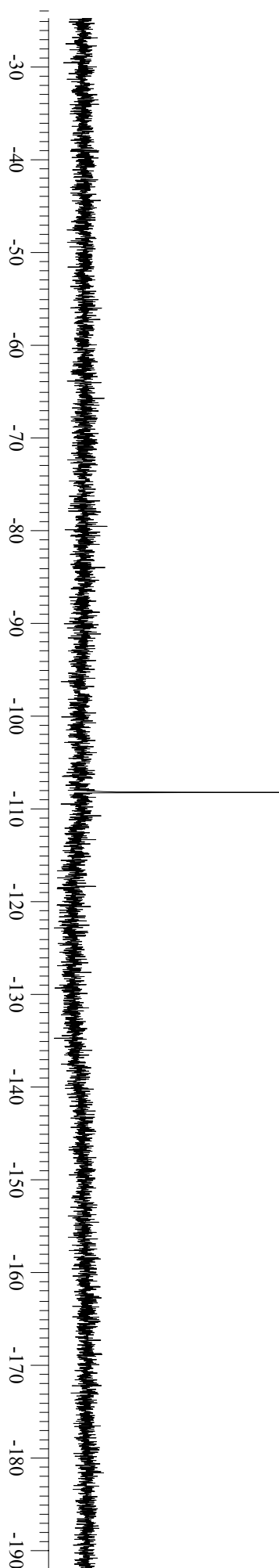


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